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OUTLINES.

Colonel George Goeltz ... director of the Panama Ca... the principal witness examined ... day in the inquiry being conducted before Inspector Garlington, in New York, for alleged discrimination and favoritism in awarding cableway contracts——The foul murder of Miss Ora Lee, a young lady at Wadsworth, Ohio, who was killed on the eve of her wedding, has baffled the police——Miss Sue Woods, daughter of Justice Woods, of the Supreme court of Mississippi, died at the hospital in Charlotte yesterday from pellagra, the rare disease which is baffling the physicians——Two brothers disappeared from their home near Warrenton, Va., six weeks ago. The corpse of one was found in the woods yesterday——Near Manasas, Va., two men are dead and one wounded, the result of a fight caused by the jealousy of one of the men killed——Six British warships have sailed for the Aegean sea to be followed by two others——It is announced from Democratic headquarters that the campaign fund amounts to $220,000. A full statement will be published October 15th——The retiring board finished Col. Stewart's case yesterday. It will report him for retirement——Taft's Southern tour is announced. It includes Greensboro on the 17th. He will go to Washington to hold a conference with the President on the following Sunday. Then after speaking in New Jersey cities and Baltimore he will go West——Bryan spoke at Galesburg, Ill., yesterday. He denounced the President for participating in the campaign.——New York markets: Money on call easy at 1 to 1 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered 1 1-4, time loans stronger. Flour firmly held, with trading quiet. Wheat firm, No. 2 red 107 3-4 to 108 3-4 elevator. Oats steady mixed 52 to 53. Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet 38 3-4. Cotton closed quiet, 5 points lower, middling uplands 9.00, middling gulf 9.25.

Guessing as to who's sitting on the White House lid is in order just now?

Hearst tackled the wrong man when he went to making false charges against John W. Kern.

"T. R. ouble" is the way the Houston Post spells what the Republican campaign managers are experiencing.

How thankful Bryan must be that Jeffries Davis, of Arkansas, has not seen fit to take part in this campaign.

Picketpockets are about the first of the arrivals for the Greensboro centennial. They have begun their work already.

Col. Stewart is making a valiant fight, but it will be to no purpose as it has been decided at the White House he must go on the retired list.

The silence at the White House of late is astonishing the country. The people want to know who it is that has brought about this state of affairs.

Who that saw that cordial meeting in Chicago Wednesday night would have thought Bryan and Taft would be hammering each other so soon afterward?

It is mighty quiet at Republican headquarters these days. Evidently the party managers think the only way to keep Roosevelt from talking is to set him the example.

The fact that nomination by Georgia Democrats means an election does not keep Georgians from the polls, as is shown in the big majority given Joe Brown the other day.

The Messenger and Intelligencer, of Wadesboro, tells of a billy goat getting drunk in that town. Blind tigers must be run mighty openly there if billy goats can nose them out.

The Federation of Labor has a great many well-wishers outside of its ranks in its efforts to defeat Cannon. If it succeeds it will win the gratitude of thousands in the South.

The Winston Journl says of the impression Kern made on those who heard him speak in the Twin-City "his simplicity of manner, his gentlemanly bearing and evident sincerity made every man his friend.

Hearst says he will attend to Roosevelt after the latter comes out of office, but omits to say in what manner. No matter in what way it may be, a large majority of those who bet on the contest will put big odds on Roosevelt.

Treasurer Sheldon's statement that contributions to the Republican campaign fund have not been as liberal as in other campaigns would indicate that former contributors do not see any chance of getting returns for their money.

IN WILMINGTON NEXT

...ery Adjourned at Faison to ...leet With First Church This City, in Spring.

JOHN CALVIN ANNIVERSARY

All Reports Show Gratifying Progress of Presbyterianism in Eastern Carolina—Routine and Other Work of Session.

Wilmington pastors and ruling elders returned yesterday morning from Faison, N. C., where the past week they were in attendance upon the Fall meeting of Wilmington Presbytery, which adjourned Thursday evening to meet with the First Presbyterian Church, this city, the first Tuesday in April when elaborate exercises have been planned in honor of the four hundredth anniversary of John Calvin, founder of the church.

The Presbytery opened Wednesday morning with the annual sermon by the retiring moderator, Rev. J. E. L. Winecoff, of Whiteville. Rev. P. L. Clark, of Clinton, was elected moderator for the session then being held with Ruling Elder C. S. Carr, of Mt. Zion church, and Elder Grady, of Mount Olive, the stated clerks. The afternoon of that day was given over principally to reports from all churches through their ruling elders and pastors of their work. These reports showed great progress during the year. Two new churches are being organized and a splendid new manse for St. Andrew's at Wilmington was reported completed and occupied. There have been many accessions to the membership of established churches and the work has been very gratifying in every particular. All mission fields have been supplied with the exception of the Bladen group of churches and arrangements were made to have these supplied soon by Rev. W. M. Shaw, of Kenansville. Tuesday night the Presbytery and large congregation of townspeople heard a strong sermon from Rev. W .M. Sikes, of Burgaw.

Early Thursday morning was given over to a visit and inspection of the Faison Male Academy, which is now in fine working order with an increased enrollment of pupils over last year. Reports were also received at the morning hour of Presbytery from James Sprunt Institute, which has also opened well with very bright prospects of a good year's work.

In taking action in regard to the next meeting of the Presbytery and the proper observance of the 400th anniversary of John Calvin, a committee was appointed consisting of Dr. Wells, Dr. McClure and Mr. James Sprunt, of Wilmington, to secure speakers and arrange all other details in connection with the service. The meeting will be the Spring session and will occur on the first Tuesday in April.

It was arranged at the Presbytery for all the pastors to co-operate with one another during the coming year to the end that a series of evangelical services may be held in each church. The evangelistic work of the Presbytery during the past year in charge of Rev. J. M. Plowden has been quite satisfactory and good work has been done by him. He leaves this morning to begin a series of services at Phoenix, Brunswick county, where a new church is now being completed.

Dinner was served on the grounds Thursday and the hosts of Presbytery charmed all with their lavish hospitality and exceedingly cordial welcome. At the afternoon session reports were received from Davidson College which opened this year with the largest attendance in its history, 130 students being in the Freshman class alone and 340 students being on the campus all told. The Freshman class alone numbers more men than were in college in all the classes only a few years ago. This report was submitted by Rev. W. M. Shaw, one of the trustees, and in a communication from President Henry Louis Smith.

On Thursday morning there was a special sermon by Dr. Wells, of Wilmington, to the schools and young people, this having been strong and much enjoyed.

Thursday night Rev. John Wakefield, the new superintendent of Barium Springs Orphanage, near Charlotte, made a most interesting report of the work there. Twenty-five children were admitted this year, making 177 in all under the care of the home. The buildings and grounds are all in good condition and the work is prospering under Mr. Wakefield, who is pleasantly remembered as being ordained in this Presbytery and having for a time served the Brunswick group of churches.

The report from the Union Theological Seminary was also gratifying, Davidson College as usual having led with the number of ministerial students there.

Thursday night the Presbytery heard a fine sermon from Dr. McClure, of Wilmington, from the text John 3-16. Dr. McClure's discourse appealed very strongly to the Presbytery and was spoken of very highly by the returning delegates yesterday morning.

—Miss Emily A. Hagy, of Reading, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Dallam O'Brien, at the Carolina.

OWLS' BIG FALL FESTIVAL

Committees Named to Have in Charge All Features For Second Week in November — Reports Show Satisfactory Work.

At the very enthusiastic meeting of the Wilmington Nest, Order of Owls, in their club rooms in the Woolvin Building, on Princess street, Thursday evening, the final details of the forthcoming Fall Festival were very carefully gone into and finally settled and committees were named to have in charge the various features of the week. The second week in the month, from the 9th to the 14th, has been decided upon as the dates for the event, which will be on the vacant lot on Castle, near Fourth street.

The executive committee is in receipt of reports from local committees of other cities where they have shown and only words of praise have been received for the Smith organization, which will furnish the organization here. It is said that there are no objectionable features and clean, wholesome amusement is afforded. Much interest is being manifested in the Owl's week of fun and frolic and the management promises the very best. The following is the list of committees announced:

Advisory Committee—Woodus Kellum, Esq., chairman; Dr. Charles T. Harper, J. B. Mercer, W. J. Toomer, R. S. Parker.

Location and Privileges—George L. Peschau, Esq., chairman; E. W. VanDuzen, Jr., Woodus Kellum, R. S. Parker, L. P. Green, Jos. C. DeHay, W. B. Stalnaker.

Arrangements and Supervision of Shows—John D. Bellamy, Jr., Jr., chairman; W. E. Merritt, H. H. Hall, J B. Mercer, P. M. Holmes, W. T. James, L. P. Green, E. W. VanDuzen, Jr., R. S. Parker, H. A. Bagg, W. I. Gore.

License—Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., chairman; Woodus Kellum, Dr. C. T. Harper.

Entertainment—Don C. B. VanDuzen, chairman; Herbert Goodwin, M. Bretzfelder, J. B. Mercer, R. S. Parker, W. A. Leitch.

Advertising—E. W. VanDuzen, Jr., chairman; P. M. Holmes, W. A. Harper and Charles R. Yopp.

HANDSOME NEW SHOE STORE

Boylan & Hancock to Have Formal Opening at No. 7 North Front.

The handsome new shoe store which Messrs. D. D. Boylan and E. T. Hancock, under the firm name of Boylan & Hancock, will conduct at No. 7 North Front street, the stand formerly occupied by the J. W. Fleet Company, will be formally opened today. For the past week or ten days painters and decoraters have been at work on the interior of the establishment with the result that the place is most attractive and pretty. This week the proprietors and assistants have been busy arranging and shelving stock and all their friends are invited to come today and see them in their new and decidedly handsome home.

The firm will handle the famous Edwin C. Clapp high grade of men's shoes; Howard & Foster's $3.50 and $4 line and all the cheaper grades of footwear. In ladies' fine footwear they will carry the Lindner line and a general stock of other shoes for ladies, misses and children. All three floors of the store at No. 7 North Front street will be occupied by the firm and the stock will embrace everything in leather and findings. The opening today promises to be a great success in every way.

FOR ARTILLERY COMPANY.

Plans on Foot For Increasing Scope and Usefulness of W. L. I.

Officers and members of the Wilmington Light Infantry, Company C. of the Second Regiment, North Carolina National Guard, are considering plans for increasing the scope and usefulness of this old and honored institution by accepting the proposition from the War Department to form in connection with the infantry organization, which will be preserved in all its distinctiveness, an artillery company as one of the four companies to comprise the Coast Artillery Battalion, provisions for which were recently made. This will be two separate and distinct commands with separate officers and men and will involve recruiting the present strength of the infantry organization to 20 or 30 additional men. The Wilmington Light Infantry will surrender none of its corporate privileges and will in no wise lose any of its individuality according to the plans of the promoters of the present idea. The company will meet next Tuesday week to finally pass upon the matter.

Church Reception Last Evening.

The reception tendered by the ladies of Delgado Presbyterian church, especially for the new members, and to which the Presbyterians of the city were invited, proved a delightful and congenial affair last evening at the Marion Mission. The reception was from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 9 o'clock at night and during this time some 300 lent their presence, among whom were many Wilmington people. The reception was an occasion of much interest.

UNIMPORTANT CASES

Number of Smaller Civil Actions Engaged Superior Court All Day Yesterday.

JUDGE DECLINES MOTION

Attorneys in Oldham Damage Suit Notifield Case Will Nit Go to Federal Tribunal—Penalty Suits Are Heard.

All of yesterday's session of the Superior Court was taken up with the hearing of unimportant cases, several of the number having been penalty suits against the railroad companies, which came up on appeal from magistrates' courts. However, these occupied the full day's session and a number of them were cleared from the docket.

Court convened yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and the first case taken up was a divorce proceeding brought by Cherry E. King against Rowland King, the parties being white. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., attorney for the plaintiff, in the development of the case found it necessary to get habeas corpus for Thomas Farrior, a sailor from the U. S. Revenue Cutter Seminole who was in jail on the charge of desertion and could not be produced in court even temporarily without resorting to this measure. After having Farrior produced in court and hearing his testimony, he was remanded to jail and the divorce was granted.

The case of S. L. Smith & Co., against Atlantic Coast Line for penalties and overcharge on a shipment of cement and solder from Philadelphia, amounting to $69.03, was heard and the case submitted to His Honor to find the facts. The plaintiffs were represented by F. W. Bonitz, Esq., and Herbert McClammy, Esq.; the railroad company by Mon. John D. Bellamy.

Judgment for plaintiff was given in the case of H. Baumeister against J. D. McClamb, involving the sale of a piano.

A non suit was taken in a case of J. L. Ferguson, Jr. against Jos. H. Hinton, upon motion of Messrs. Rountree & Carr, attorneys for the defendant, the plaintiff having failed to put in an appearance and the case having been on the docket since 1904.

In the case of A. J. Johnson against S. P. Cowan, sheriff, judgment was given plaintiff for possession of the steamer A. J. Johnson, which was seized some time ago on a process from Cumberland county, the action having been merely one to clear up the record.

In the suit of William Waterall & Co., against the Monarch Paint Co., and Iredell Meares, Esq., who endorsed certain notes for the co-defendant, judgment was given plaintiff for $238.17.

A non-suit was taken in the case of W. B. Thorp against Josephine Wright, plaintiff to pay costs of the action.

J. B. Hand was given judgment against Sampson Isler for $33.75 in an action brought by him for the recovery of a claim.

Practically all the afternoon was taken up with a suit brought by D. Newman & Son against the Atlantic Coast Line for shortage, damage and penalties on a shipment of shoes from Newbern, N. C., the amount being $61.90 and the costs of the action. Herbert McClammy, Esq., and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan appear for the plaintiff and Messrs. Davis & Davis for the defendant railroad company. The case was still with the jury when court took a recess for the day. A rather sensational feature was injected into the testimony when a young man named Everett, employed formerly with the plaintiff but now employed by the defendant, testified that he had been approached by a fellow employe of the company as to his testimony. A subpoena was issued for the Coast Line employe and he denied having in the least intimidated the young man.

Today two actions for damage brought by William Duncan Little, administrator, against the City of Wilmington will be heard. One is for damages for the death of a small colored boy several years ago and the other is for loss of services of the boy by the parent or guardian. The boy was riding a b'cycle and was run over by one of the city carts in the southern part of the city, receiving injuries from which he later died. It is charged in the complaint that the city employed an incompentent driver in that he had but two fingers on one hand and was unable to manage the mule he was driving.

Messrs. Meares & Ruark and Geo. L. Peschau represent the plaintiff in the action and City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Jr., appears for the defendent city. The case will be watched with much interest.

Judge Lyon yesterday notified the attorneys for the plaintiff in the case of N. M. McEachern, administrator, against the Atlantic Coast Line that he had decided to rule against the motion to move the cause to the Federal Court. It is expected that the formal ruling will be made in open court in a day or two and that the defendant railroad company will take an appeal from the ruling to the Supreme Court. Should the Supreme Court rule that the case is not transferable to the Federal jurisdiction, it will be remanded to the State Court for trial.

ELKSFEST HEADQUARTERS

Every Department Busy as Can be With Arrangements For Big Week of Fun and Frolic in November.

The old Tidewater Power House, foot of Orange street has been the foot of Orange street, has been the the main building some ten or twelve carpenters and laborers are at work framing up and putting together a large number of huge cages, dens, floats and chariots. Out in the enclosed shed or yard, more carpenters and painters are at work embellishing with paint, gilding, and on canvas or cloth, scores of cages.

The result is impressive even at this early date. To all who visit the workshop of the Elkfest committee the magnitude and extent of the big society circus and parade become daily more apparent. There will be some of the finest cages and floats ever seen in a parade in the South.

Up in the general committee offices in the Garrell Building under direction of General Manager Buckley and the various committees, stenographers and clerks are sending out literature of various kinds similar to that of a political campaign.

Letters are being sent to ministers of the city to awaken an interest in the children's parade Nov. 3rd. Other letters will be sent to prominent ladies of the city with the same purpose in view. The principals and teachers of public and private schools have received letters asking for their co-operation in the good work. Scores of letters have gone abroad asking for advertisements for the souvenir programme and explaining that all the funds net go towards the Children's Playground Fund.

Merchants and manufacturers are requested by mail to build floats or decorate wagons for the parade. Militia companies have been invited by letter to serve as escorts in the parades. The many secret societies have been invited to participate as a division of the civic parade Tuesday of the week and most of the local travelling men have made use of the large corps of stenographers and typewriters at headquarters to send out personal letters to country customers and friends to be here in Wilmington during the week. All this will result in big doings and vast crowds here on that joyous occasion.

J. O. Brock, superintendent of Electric Construction and chairman of the Committee on Lighting, has formulated an excellent plan for a complete system of lighting Elkfest Platz, on Castle street, during the entertainment week. It embraces using some half score of arc lights, several thousand 16 candle power incandescent and an illuminated front and an arch down town.

Mr. C. L. Brown has consented to take charge of the fifty clowns, the Elk's Hayseed Band and the clown section of the parade and circus. He will have some of the brightest and most versatile members of the local lodge as well as a number of outsiders on his staff of fun makers. A rehearsal and organization meeting has been called for next Wednesday night. Julius Taylor has his minstrel show organized and the programme arranged for. They rehearse Tuesday night. The initiation committee, James H. Cowan, chairman, meets next Tuesday night at the Elk's Temple. The executive committee met last night and transacted much important business.

John H. Niggel and his amateur spellers contest committee met last night and formulated rules and selected the folowing judges of contest: Percy Wells, E. H. Jones and John H. Niggle. Entries so far are as follows: Dr. W. R. Kingsbury, C. L. Brown, Martin Daniels, Geo. Honnet, Jr., Ed Reilly, "Judge" Bornemann, Albert Rothschild and Ben Jackson.

Home is Again Saddened.

The death of little Harry Hogue Sneeden, the eleven-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Sneeden, is learned of with deep sorrow by their many friends, this being the second bereavement in the home within the past two months. The child's death occurred after a brief illness. Attended by a number of sorrowing friends the funeral was held from the home, 614 Castle street, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon conducted by Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Trinity Methodist church. The remains were carried to Masonboro Sound for interment.

Mother-In-Law Takes Revenge.

Following the action brought by Joseph Scarborough the first of the week, in the nature of an ejectment to force his mother-in-law, Martha Spicer, to leave his home, but failed in his effort, the old woman having produced a deed for a life estate in the property, Scarborough himself will be given a trial under the same conditions, the mother-in-law having appeared before Justice Borneman yesterday and had ejectment proceedings issued for the son-in-law. He was later arrested and will be given a hearing today.

THE WORLD'S SERIES

Both Chicago and Detroit Are on Scene For Today's Baseball Battle.

GREAT RUSH FOR TICKETS

Every Reserved Seat For Opening Game Sold Yesterday Morning. Arrangements Being Completed—Football Results.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 9.—The night before the opening of the battle for the world's baseball championship finds both the Detroit American League and the Chicago National League teams in excellent condition, and filled with confidence. Every indication tonight is that the opening of the series at Bennett Park tomorrow afternoon will be under the most auspicious circumstances.

Baseball enthusiasm is at an intense pitch in the city, and baseball is practically the sole topic of conversation at all public places. Bennett Park is in perfect condition, and indications are that it will be filled with a record breaking crowd when play is called at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Chicago team 16 men strong, in addition to President Murphy, Secretary Williams, and a number of newspaper men arrived from New York this afternoon. They went immediately to their quarters at the Hotel Tuller. All of them except Captain-Manager Frank Chance are in perfect condition for the game tomorrow. Captain Chance was struck in the throat by a rowdy while leaving the field after yesterday's game in New York, and the blow injured a cartilage in his throat and affected his vocal chords so that he can barely speak above a whisper tonight. While annoying, the injury will not prevent the Chicago leader from playing. Upon his arrival here Captain Chance called in a throat specialist. Pitchers Brown and Pfeister were also buffetted about in the attack on the Chicago players after the game yesterday, but did not receive serious hurts.

"The pitching choice for tomorrow lies between Killian and Donovan," said Manager Jennings, of the Detroits this evennig, "with the probabilities favoring Killian. We are going into the fight for the world's championship filled with confidence. Our last game with the Chicago American League team which gave us the championship of our league, showed me that I still have the gamest and greatest team in modern baseball."

Within two hours after the reserved seat sale opened this morning at Bennett Park, every reserved seat for Saturday's game was sold, and there were still hundreds of men in line waiting to secure the coveted admissions. Circus seats which will accommodate 10,000 spectators arrived at Bennett Park today from Chicago, and a large force of carpenters put them in place this afternoon.

President F. J. Navin stated tonight that he will have seats for from 18,000 to 20,000 people tomorrow, and that the demand for tickets indicated that they will all be filled. The sale of general admission tickets will open at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and it is anticipated that daylight will find hundreds of waiting applicants for them lined up before the ticket windows.

Weather predictions tonight are for splendid baseball weather tomprrow with a bright sun to temper the crisp Autumn air.

The hotels are rapidly filling this evening with baseball enthusiasts, sporting writers and officials from all over the country. The members of the National Commission which has charge of the world's series, arrived tonight from Cincinnati. They will hold a meeting tomorrow morning to arrange final details for the games.

Football Games.

At Charlottesville: Virginia, 12; Davidson, 0.

Arrested on Another Charge.

The Pembroke, N. C., town marshal who was recently in a peck of trouble in the Superior Court here and who paid the costs and secured his liberty only yesterday morning, was arrested again yesterday afternoon at the A. C. L. Railroad station by Officer M. P. Newton. He was charged with being drunk and disorderly and in reported to have had a pistol and razor on his person when taken in custody. The railroad people refused to sell him a ticket on account of his condition and the Wilmington officer had no alternative to sending him in again for trial before the Mayor at noon today.

Death of Infant Child.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Bloodworth, of No. 811 Grace street, will sympathize with them in the death of their child, Mary L. Bloodworth, whose death occurred yesterday afternoon. The infant has been quite ill several days and its death was not unexpected. Accompanied by the members of the family, the remains will be conveyed to Rocky Point this morning, where the interment will be today.

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A CALL FOR CAMPAIGN SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The Star will receive and acknowledge contributions to the Democratic National Campaign Fund in any amount from one dollar upward, forwarding same promptly to the treasurer of the Campaign Committee.

Thousands of good Democrats in North Carolina should esteem it a privilege to contribute their portion to the success of the party.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska.
For Vice President—John W. Kern, of Indiana.

State Ticket.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieutenant Governor—W. C. Newland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

Congressional Ticket.

For Congress, Sixth District—Hannibal L. Godwin.

County Ticket.

For Sheriff—S. P. Cowan.
For Treasurer—H. McL. Green.
For Register of Deeds—John Haar.
For Coroner—Dr. C. D. Bell.
For Surveyor—E. J. W. Anders.
For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.
For County Commissioners—D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, M. W. Divine, J. P. Montgomery, W. F. Robertson.

Legislative Ticket.

For Senator—B. G. Empie.
For Representative—George L. Morton.

A SERIOUS PROPOSITION.

Our Republican friends do not like to be reminded of what their party did in this State in reconstruction days, or to have it said that the party of today is the same which did those things. They say negro rule of those days has nothing to do with present-time affairs; that there is no sense in harking back to forty years ago; that there is no danger ever again of negro rule anywhere in this State.

Since the Democrats drove the Republicans from power in 1876, the latter have had control of the State for one gubernatorial term of four years from 1896. They raised the same cry about no danger of negro rule in the campaigns of that period as they do now; but what did they do when they got into power then? and what reason have we to believe that they would not repeat now, if they should win, what they did then? Their word for it? We prefer to judge them by their acts and record.

The following from the Messenger and Intelligencer, of Wadesboro, should sound a warning to the Democrats. It shows that the Republicans of today are the same as those of 1896 and who then favored electing negroes to office. After stating that E. W. Flake has announced himself as an independent candidate for the Legislature the Wadesboro paper says:

"Mr. Flake is one of the few white men of Anson who has advocated the election of a colored man to a county office. He did this in 1896, and had it not been for the fact that his then associates in the Populist party would not be led by him in this matter Rich Hammond, colored, of this place, would have been elected to the office of county commissioner. In the year referred to, Mr. Flake did everything in his power to secure the election of Hammond, and it is at least to his credit that he made no secret of his attitude in the matter. It was not his fault that the members of the Populist party absolutely refused to swallow the pill."

Don't the Democrats know that if this man Flake had the power today to do so he would give offices to negroes? He wanted to do so twelve years ago. There is no reason to believe he has changed his views on the subject. And don't the Democrats know that there are a good many E. W. Flakes in this State?

There is nothing in the Republicans' statement that the negroes, being disfranchised, cannot hold office; for it is only the illiterate negroes who cannot vote or hold office. There are a great many of that race who have the legal right to do both; and, if the Republicans should be successful in the coming election, thereby gaining entire control of the election machinery, a great many negroes will be found voting at the election two years hence, even if the Republicans should do nothing to make practically inoperative the franchise amendment to the constitution; and if they were to do that it would let in a horde of ignorant negroes all of whom, together with most of the educated ones, would vote the Republican ticket.

This is no nightmare, but a serious proposition confronting the Democrats of our State.

THE SOUTH'S CROPS.

From the New Orleans Picayune's weekly article on cotton and other crops grown in the South we take the following:

"During the past week the weather has been generally favorable for maturing the cotton as well as for picking and marketing. The tropical storm reported off the Atlantic coast did not develop as was expected, hence the Atlantic Coast States escaped the drenching downpour and wind that were feared. Practically everywhere the weather has been bright and cool, rather too cool it must be admitted in the more northerly portions of the belt for the well-being of cotton. Picking, ginning and marketing have been facilitated, with the result that there has been a big movement of cotton to market and the yield has been correspondingly increased.

"Reports from the central and eastern belt have indicated that the yield while early, is likely to turn out somewhat smaller than last year, particularly in the Atlantic States. Reports from Texas indicate that a big crop is being gathered. In the more northerly portion of the belt the character of the final yield will depend very largely on the date of killing frost.

"All accounts agree in reporting that the South has made a good crop of corn and other food and forage crops. This is a matter of great importance owing to the high prices prevailing for these productions. Were it necessary this year, as it was last, to purchase large supplies of these food products the profits from the cotton crop would be greatly cut down, whereas with a good crop of grain and feed in the South the results from cotton will be correspondingly increased.

"The weather this past week has been more favorable for harvesting the rice crop of western Louisiana and eastern Texas. The excessive rains during September greatly hampered the harvesting of rice and did some damage to the quality as well as the quantity of the yield. With good harvesting weather from now on, however, a good crop will be made."

Georgia was not satisfied with having one candidate for President and one for Vice President. She wanted more and she has got it, but we do not know that she is very proud of what was given her this time—the nomination of S. C. Tapp, of Atlanta, for President by the Liberty party, which held its convention in Chattanooga on Thursday. The party went clear to Minnesota for Mr. Tapp's running mate, John Maddox. The chief plank of the platform is advocacy of woman suffrage. Other things advocated by the Liberty party are the initiative and referendum, separation of Church and State, direct taxation and of course it denounces the two dominant parties.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Col. Josephus Daniels seems determined to pull the G. O. P. elephant's tail through a very small hole in the political fence and then tie it in a hard knot.—Savannah News.

—Loeb says: "There is no present intention on the President's part of going on the stump." There is hope in that word "present". Mr. Roosevelt has done a good deal by his letters to add interest to the campaign and help Mr. Bryan, but he can do vastly more of both by making speeches. He is always entertaining, and one blast upon his bugle-horn is worth a thousand men—to the other side. We hope Mr. Bryan will stir him up just enough to make him mad, and then he'll be sure to make a series of speeches.—Philadelphia Record.

—"The British government's decision to provide for the unemployed by building more new warships will put some of the social economists of the United Kingdom into a quandary. They must approve the setting of the men to work, since they have been clamoring that it is the duty of the government to provide work for all men. Yet they must condemn the sort of work at which they are set, since they are opposed to the construction of fighting ships of any kind. Egg dancing is nothing compared with the task of approving and condemning the same policy at the same time."—New York Tribune.

—There is no disguising the fact that the constitutional movement in Turkey has caused serious apprehension in Europe, notwithstanding the protestations that the various European powers are disposed to regard the change from a pure despotism to a Constitutional Monarchy with benevolent anticipation. Most of the great Powers were confidently counting upon the disintegration of the Turkish Empire in Europe, and hoping to profit by that disintegration, hence any movement that aims at reforming the Government of the Empire and restoring its ancient prestige interferes seriously with the ambitions of such Powers as Austria, Russia, Germany and Great Britain.—New Orleans Picayune.

—Most of the papers missed the fact, in the report of "Nick" Longworth's Rock Island speech, that he, "Nick," the son-in-law was placed in direct line of descent in the Roosevelt dynasty. After Taft for eight years was to come Theodore, Sr., for one or two more terms, then "Sunny Jim" Sherman, for eight years, and after him Son-in-Law Longworth. And by that time Theodore, Jr., would be old enough to take the Presidency. It is due to "Nick, however, to emphasize his interview in yesterday's paper, in which he says he was only joking at Rock Island. It would have been a tremendous but awfully disgusting joke on the American people if "Nick" had really meant it. It seems he has been retired from the stump so that he won't make any more jokes of that kind. — Savannah News.

—The President thinks that publicity of campaign contributions before election might lead the people to hasty conclusions and unfairly influence their votes. This is the spirit in which four years ago he wrote his Dear Harriman not to come to see him until after the election if he thought the "visit could cause trouble." After election, it will be just as it was in 1904. The people will be powerless then to exact any penalty for wrongdoing. The wonder is that a game of deceit played with all the cards exposed to view can fool anybody. The corporations are being fleeced again, just as Harriman was on a former occasion, and when the Grand Old Party has gotten away with the goods all the satisfaction the people can get will be: "Well, what are you going to do about it?"—Virginian Pilot.

—The Daily Bulletin of Honolulu prints the statistics of births by nationalities in the Hawaiin Islands during the last year and draws from them the conclusion that the Japanese are destined to become the dominant element of the population because of their high birth rate as compared with that of all the other elements. The total number of births was 4,593. The number of Japanese babies was 2,445, over 50 per cent of the total, or more than the births of all the other nationalities combined. The Hawaiins ranked second, with 674 births; the Portugese third, with 591; the Chinese fourth, with 388; the Porto Ricans fifth, with 174. The sixth rank is held by Americans, with 126 births. The births of Spanish children numbered 86, of German 37, of British 30, and of all other nationalities 42.—Chicago News.

—Senator Foraker announces that he is out of it at least until after the election; but he doesn't say what he is going to do then. It is not too much to surmise that after that date, relieved from all possible fear of the effect of what he might say upon the political fortunes of his party's nominees, he is going to say some things and say them very plainly illustrative of how the administration party does things and the methods it employed to keep itself in control. We have been told that Mr. Foraker knows a whole lot of things; that he has got his arms around the pillars of the temple but that he is not going to pull it down until certain innocent people get out of danger's way. If the story be true, there will be something to look forward to even after the lection.—News and Courier.

TWINKLINGS.

—"How'd she get into society; marry into it?" "No, divorced into it."—Houston Post.

—"Can I have a pass over you line?" "No," replied the railroad man, "law's too strict. We can't pass anything but a dividend now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—Miss Rinkles—Everything costs so much nowadays! I suppose I'll have to live plainer. Miss Sharptung—Why, my dear you couldn't be any plainer. and live.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"Why is it that men bet and women don't?" "Men choose betting as a means of putting a stop to an argument." "Well?" "Well, women never want an argument stopped."—Cleveland Leader.

—"She ran away with him, didn't she?" "Yes—it was a regular walkaway, though." "Makes him trot, does she?" "Makes him crawl. Why, she walks all over him."—Cleveland Leader.

—Miss Naybor—Why, Katie, you didn't bring me over any of that homemade candy you promised me last evening. Little Katie—No'm. It turned out better'n we expected.—Kansas City Times.

—The Bride—I think this looks like a nice respectable place for us to eat, Jason. See, it says "tables reserved for ladies." The Groom (in surprise)—But, darn it, Sally, don't you want me to sit at the same table with you?—Puck.

—Church—There is a case on record, I believe where a man got up out of his bed and wrote a poem in his sleep. Gotham—Oh, well, if he was asleep I suppose he couldn't really be held responsible.—Yonkers Statesman.

—"Whenever I go skating," Mr. Hoamley was saying, "I always wear a cap that pulls down well over the ears." "Yes," said Miss Cutting, "I should think that would be absolutely necessary when you're skating against the wind."—Philadelphia Press.

—"Ever make any money out of poetry?" "Only once. An editor said that for $5 he would print a poem I showed him." "Seems to me that was losing money." "Oh, no; I came out $5 ahead. You see, I declined the offer."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Why James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband, James Lee, firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it, and its use has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

She Got His Name.

"Little boy," asked the new teacher, "what is your name?"

"I'll have to write it for you, miss," he said hesitatingly.

"Why? My hearing is quite good! Your name, boy!"

"I'd rather not tell you."

"Surely you can't be ashamed of it?"

"No, miss, but"—

"Then we will not waste any more time, if you please! I am waiting!"

The small boy's eyes rolled wildly in their sockets, and his face became contorted with pain as he began:

"Ku-kuk-kuk-kuk-kuk-kuk-Clarence! That's my first name, miss. But my other name is Pup-pup-pup-pup-Perkins! I never stutter 'cept when I'm speaking my name, and when I'm nagged like this I get a whole lot worse, miss."

A Race With the Sun.

An English magazine says that if an aerial machine were capable of traveling at any rate up to 1,000 miles an hour a traveler in it, starting westward from London at a speed of 600 miles an hour, would arrest the progress of time. If he started at 10 a. m., it would always be to him 10 a. m. Should he find his unending day monotonous he could reverse his direction and get a quick succession of short days and nights of some six hours' duration, but he could regulate the length by the speed of his machine. Suppose he traveled from London one night at 10 o'clock westward at a speed of 1,000 miles per hour. He would soon experience the sensation of seeing the sun rising in the west where it had set a short time before.

Noise.

Noise, at first cultivated in this land by the Indians, has reached its climax in the college yell. It is used at political conventions, at christenings and at women's clubs. No monument was necessary for the man who first invented noise. His work lives after him.

Noise is used by cities, which have the first call for it. They split it up into as many sounds as possible and divide it among all.

Noise varies in its volume and intensity, from embryonic and immature sawmill to a baby crying in the night.—Life.

Its Origin.

"So you don't believe in the story of Jonah and the whale?"

"No," answered Mr. Meekton thoughtfully.

"How do you suppose it originated?"

"Well, I suppose Jonah had been away from home for some time and had to tell his wife something."—Kansas City Newsbook.

His Only Want.

Billionaire's Daughter—You wrong him, papa. He does not love me for my money. He scoffs at the world's sordid eagerness for wealth. Papa—What proof have you, child? Billionaire's Daughter—Why, only last night he told me he didn't care if he was never able to make a penny in his life if he only had me.

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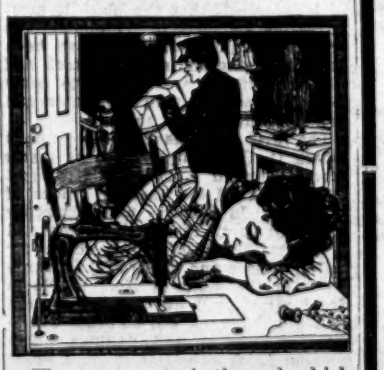

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A NICE BIT OF ... NECROMANCY.

[Original.]

The first prestidigitator to attract wide attention in America was Signor Blitz half a century ago. Blitz was giving exhibitions all over the United States, and since amusements were then by no means as common as today all heard of him if all did not see him. After having exhibited everywhere in the eastern states he decided to go overland to California. Loading his contrivances in a couple of "prairie schooners," as the plains wagons were called, he set out from the Missouri river to cross the Rocky mountains.

One day the little caravan came upon a man who was crazed with distress. He had been traveling with his wife and two children in a single wagon. For some reason he had left them for a few hours and when he returned found his wagon plundered of its contents, his stock run off and his wife and children missing. He knew they had been carried away by the redskins.

The next day Indians were seen at a distance. Blitz told the man, whose name was Rodman, to ride out and tell them a great medicine man traveling across the country would like to give them a display of his powers. Of course to go to the Indians was the next thing to going to certain death, but Rodman was in hopes that Blitz might help him to regain his family and took the chances. He learned while among the savages that they held his wife and children captives, though the savages did not know they belonged to him. The marvelous will always interest the superstitious, and the Indians sent Rodman back to invite Blitz to their camp.

Blitz improvised a stage with the necessary appurtenances, and the redskins squatted before it. An interpreter stood ready to repeat the sorcerer's words in their own language. Blitz took a small iron cube with a ring for a handle and lifted it with his little finger. Then he said that he possessed the power of depriving a man of his strength and invited any savage to come up on to the stage and submit himself to this test. The chief himself, the biggest and strongest Indian present, stepped up, evidently confident that no man could take away what he was so proud of. Blitz asked him to lift the iron weight. He did so, giving a grunt, as much as to say: "Do you make sport of me? Give me something heavy to lift." He set the weight down. Blitz made a few passes along his arm and told him to lift again. This time the Indian failed to move it. He struggled desperately, all the blood in his body getting into his face, but to no purpose. The weight was immovable. Then he turned away muttering and did not stop till he had got behind the awe stricken Indians.

The weight was connected by wires with a powerful magnet, the current being turned on or off by a key under Blitz's foot.

Blitz next took up a pistol and invited the chief to come back and kill him with it. The chief, in hopes of redeeming himself before his warriors, returned. Blitz offered him a cup with leaden bullets in it and asked him to take out one and mark it so that he would know it again. The redskin did as he was told. Blitz took the bullet, put it in the pistol, cocked the weapon, handed it to the Indian, stood off at the other end of the stage and told him to fire. The Indian took a sure aim and fired. Blitz put up his hand, caught the bullet in his fingers and tossed it back to the man who had fired it. The chief, astonished, stood mute, but when Blitz told him to look at the mark on it and he saw that it was the bullet he had chosen he was dumfounded.

This is a common trick, the bullet put in the pistol being of clay ground up powder by ramming it down. It is substituted for the leaden one by sleight of hand.

Then Blitz told the chief he could shoot his blood on to a board without hurting him and fired a wax bullet at him filled with his own blood. It broke against the board, spattering the blood.

By this time Blitz was a wonderful medicine man to the savages and was ready for the business he had come for. An assistant bandaged his eyes, and Blitz told the audience that he saw in one of the tepees a white woman and two children. He ordered them to bring forth their prisoners at once or he would call down fire from the clouds to consume them. The chief called a powwow of his principal warriors. The white men saw them arguing and gesticulating, but could not understand what they said. Some were doubtful of Blitz having this power, while others claimed that a medicine man who could do what he had done could do anything. While they were consulting Blitz discharged electricity, making a brilliant flash. Away scampered the Indians to the tepee where Rodman's wife and children were held prisoners and brought them to Blitz.

Blitz had told Rodman to keep out of the way lest if his family recognized him it might destroy the Indians' faith in his miraculous power. When the terror stricken woman and her children were brought forward and surrendered to white people their astonishment was as great as the savages' at Blitz's medicine work. Blitz would have frightened the Indians into paying for Rodman's property, but they had no money, and what property they could give was of little value. So the sorcerer decided to get the captives away without delay. He gathered his contrivances, put them in his wagons and drove off, the savages watching him in wonder. It was not till they were out of sight that Rodman was permitted to embrace his family.

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Saturday, October 10, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Departmen of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 10, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Friday, Oct. 9.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 64 degrees; 8 P. M. 67 degrees; maximum 78 degrees; minnimum 64 degrees; mean 71 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, .13.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Thursday at 8 A. M. 3.8 feet.

Weather Forecast.

Fair in east, showers in west portions Saturday. Sunday fair and warmer, light fresh east to northeast winds.

Port Calendar—Oct. 10.

Sun rises ..... 6:08 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 5:32 P. M.
Day's Length.....11 hrs. 43 min.
High water at Southport 7:47 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:05 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Palace Market—Turkeys.
David's—School Clothes.
E. Warren & Son—Ice Cream.
W. A. French, Ch'mn—Notice.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Dry Goods.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Deposits.

Business Locals.

Lost—Gold Lin.
Wanted—Bright Young Man.
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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. B. Underwood, of Fayetteville, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson, of Newbern, were among the guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Miss Maie Whitney is spending a few days in Raleigh attending the State Fair.

—Mr. L. C. Nance, of Hallsboro, was amony the arrivals in the city yesterday and was a guest at The Orton.

—Colonel Frank A. Dillingham returned yesterday from a business trip to Charlotte and Greensboro and is a guest at The Orton.

—Mrs. E. R. Clarke left last evening for New York where she will spend some time on a visit to relatives and friends.

—Mrs. Mary A. Clarke, after a pleasant visit to her son, Mr. E. R. Clarke, returned last night to her home at Louisville, Ky.

—Southport Herald: "Mr. E. N. Penny and family returned to Wilmington last Monday after having spent the Summer here."

—Pender Chronicle "Mrs. W. T. Bannerman, of Wilmington, who came up to Burgaw Saturday, has been visiting friends here this week."

—Magnolia Correspondence, Duplin Journal: "Mrs. Ellis Fulcher, of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. A. H. Johnson this week. Mr. Fulcher was here Sunday".

—Mrs. Samuel Betts, of Henderson, N. C., arrived yesterday and will spend some time the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Farris, and will be present at the marriage of her grandson, Mr. W. T. Farris, in this city on October 14th.

—Mr. C. G. Byron, the versatile and clever press agent for Colonel Frank A Dillingham and his marvelous remedies now being exploited in a red-hot campaign of publicity in this city, left yesterday morning for Charlotte. He expects to return to Wilmington tomorrow.

—A souvenir postal card from Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Megow, who are on their bridal tour through the West, notes their arrival in Milwaukee, where they were most cordially received by friends there, a reception having been given in their honor. Mr. and Mrs. Megow will return in about two weeks to make their home in this city.

Ejectment Proceeding Dismissed.

Justice John J. Furlong yesterday rendered his decision in the case of the Bear estate against Mr. William Tiencken, which was deferred after a hearing of the case Thursday evening. The ejectment proceedings were issued for the purpose of compelling Mr. Tiencken to vacate the building which he now occupies on Princess street on the contention that the place had been rented to other parties. The case has created some interest and from the evidence it seems that Mr. Tiencken had agreed to meet all demands of the owner, with the single exception of moving out. Justice Furlong dismissed the action and the plaintiff took an appeal to the higher court. Hon. John D. Bellamy, represented the plaintiff and Colonel A. M. Waddell, appeared in behalf of Mr. Tiencken, who in the meantime remains in possession of the property.

L'ARIOSO GERMAN CLUB.

Annual Meeting Held Last Night—Officers for Ensuing Year Elected.

The annual meeting of L'Arioso German Club was held last night in the Masonic Temple and plans for the coming season were discussed very generally. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—C. McD. Davis.
Vice President—S. M. Boatwright.
Sec. and Treas—T. B. Willard.
Board of Governors—Messrs. C. McD. Davis, S. M. Boatwright, T. B. Willard, Milton Calder, T. H. Wright, H. M. Chase and E. P. Bailey.

The Governing Board will meet later and decide on the date for the opening german.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—In the Mayor's court yesterday Stacy Ammons and John Thompson, both white, for vagrancy, were given 30 days each on the county roads. A few other cases of lesser consequence were tried and disposed of.

—Constable Savage yesterday arrested Lex Connor, colored, who is alleged to have stolen from George Nixon, the grocer, $2 in money. Connor was placed in jail to await trial in Justice Furlong's court today.

—Following a presentment from the grand jury, J. H. Smith, colored, was arrested yesterday charged with conducting a disorderly house. He gave a justified bond of $50 for his appearance at the next term of Superior court.

—A deed was filed for record yesterday conveying from Anni F. Metlock, of Philadelphia, and The Bryan Mawr Trust Company, of Montgomery county, Pennsylvania, to John E. Taylor and Thos. R. Mask, a tract of land on the old Newbern road in Harnett township. The deed was in fee simple and the consideration was nominal.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Services at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M., tomorrow, Sunday School at 10 A. M. Mid-week service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School at 4 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M.; Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public is cordially invited. Seats free.

First Presbyterian Church, corner South Third and Orange streets: Public worship on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. with preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. All welcome.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. R. W. Hogue. Seamen and Rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. expects to preach in East Wilmington tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

MRS. R. W. SMITH DEAD.

Good Woman Died Yesterday After Lingering Illness—Funeral.

The death of Mrs. Mary Catherine Smith, wife of Mr. R. W. Smith, which occurred yesterday afternoon shortly before 2 o'clock, was learned of with infinite regret by numerous friends and caused many expressions of sadness. Although Mrs. Smith had been in failing health for several months, and critically ill for several days she remained conscious to the end. She had been a consistent member of Fifth Street Methodist church for a number of years and was a consecrated Christian woman.

Mrs. Smith was in her 65th year and besides a husband, leaves two sisters and a brother, as follows: Mrs. W. H. Jarman, of Jacksonville, N. C.; Mrs. H. A. Donnelly and Mr. L. M. LeGwin, of this city.

The funeral will be held from the home, 901 Orange street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the remains will be interred in Bellevue cemetery.

DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS.

Suite of Rooms in Smith Building Leased by County Chairman.

A suite of three rooms on the second floor of the Smith building on Princess street, were leased yesterday by Democratic Chairman John J. Furlong and headquarters for the campaign will be formally opened there on Monday of the coming week. The rooms are well located and were formerly the law offices of Hon. John D. Bellamy. The rooms will be handsomely fitted up and supplied with all kinds of literature and information of value to voters. Chairman Furlong has not yet decided who will be in charge but he will spend much of his time there himself and the public will be welcome. The campaign is going to be waged, not for an overwhelming majority—that is already conceded—but for a full vote at the November election. The opening of headquarters is a progressive step and Chairman Furlong is to be congratulated upon this further evidence that he is "right on his job."

Colored Baptist Association.

The colored district Baptist Association, with about 150 delegates in attendance, is in session at Ebenezer Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Nun streets, this city. The Association convened Thursday morning and will be in progress several days, with Rev. A. Carr, of Canetuck, presiding. The object of the gathering is for the adavncement of education and missions.

Revival at Trinity Continues.

The usual interest was manifested at the revival service at Trinity Methodist church last evening, the sermon being preached by Rev. T. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist church, who made a strong appeal and delivered an able sermon. A good sized congregation was in attendance. Owing to the growing interest in the meeting services will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

Winners in Autograph Contest.

The winners in Platt & Haar's autograph contest will be announced in tomorrow's issue of this paper. It was the intention of the firm to make the announcement today but the counting has required much more time than was expected, hence the delay.

Miss M. Wime, of Washington, yesterday defeated Miss C. Evans, of Richmond, Va., in straight sets 6-3, 6-3, in the ladies singles in the tennis tournament being played on the Chevy Chase Courts.

The Theatre

Today the Academy offers a matinee and night performance of the popular and well known melodrama, "On the Bridge at Midnight." Reduced prices are to prevail to fit the times, the matinee admissions being 25 and 35 cents, while at night the prices will go only to 75 cents. Of the play the Danville (Va). Register last week said:

"An appreciative audience witnessed 'On the Bridge at Midnight,' presented here last night at the Academy of Music. The production, which is really a play of more than usual merit, and which was shown here at popular prices was well deserving of more liberal patronage. Those who witnessed the performance were highly pleased and left with the feeling that they had been given more than their money's worth."

"Midnight in Chinatown."

With a fine performance of this play the Mason-Newcomb Stock Company will make its bow to the Wilmington theatre-goers Monday night at the Academy and will then inaugurate a week's engagement at popular prices. The company is said to be a good one and boasts of its swell specialties, which go to make up a double performance each evening dramatic and vaudeville. The play selected for the opening performance is one well known and while stirring in action is not of horse-play type. The comedy is especially fine. Popular prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents, will prevail throughout the engagement and Monday night every lady accompanied by the holder of a paid 30 cent ticket will be admitted free if the ticket is purchased at Plummer's between now and 6 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Crystal Palace.

The present splendid bill at the Crystal Palace, and which is featuring those exceedingly clever youngsters, Percival and Shields, will be brought to a close tonight. So, no doubt, many folks will take advantage of the last opportunity offered to witness the present swell bill. Monday, commencing with matinee in the afternoon, all new faces will greet patrons of the attractive little theatre. The acts on the new bill will be announced tomorrow morning.

Managers Fought for "The Traitor."

When Channing Pollock and Thomas Dixon, Jr., had completed the manuscript of "The Traitor," the dramatic sequel to "The Clansman," a number of the most prominent Broadway managers commenced negotiations for the play. After hearing the manuscript read they offered unusually liberal royalties for the production rights. After careful consideration, however, Messrs. Pollock and Dixon decided to place the play in the hands of George H. Brennan, who had achieved such wonderful results with "The Clansman." "The Traitor" will be the attraction at the Academy of Music, Wednesday matinee and night, October 21st. Seats on sale at Plummer's Friday, Oct. 16th.

The Devil Pleased Them.

The Henry W. Savage version of "The Devil," New York's latest play sensation, as produced at the Academy of Music last night by James D. Barton & Co., with Mr. Lionel Lawrence in the title role and with an exceptionally strong supporting company, gave fine satisfaction to Wilmington theatre-goers. Mr. Lawrence's conception of the title role was with a degree of subtlety and finesse that at once stamped his work way up above mediocrity. Mimi, in the role of the artists model by Miss Josie Slater, and Olga Hofmann, the banker's wife, by Miss Marion Sheridan were strong supports as was also Elsa Berg, an heiress by Miss Salome Park. The role of Karl Mahrler, the artist, in the hands of Mr. James Rennie, was also well taken care of. The play was put on with a wealth of scenic embellishment and afforded a character study that was quite mystifying.

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN FUND.

Now Amounts to $220,000—Of Full List Full List to be Published.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—The Democratic National Committe is preparing to announce next week the amounts of its campaign fund and the individual contributors of amounts of $100 and over. The lists, which have been compiled today and sent here from Chicago, show that the campaign fund is a little over $220,000. Of this fund, something over $180,000 has been collected from contributors, which, with $42,000 of the Denver convention fund, is the total fund now in the Democratic treasury.

It is learned today that there have been 14 individual contributors of $1,000 each. There have been on contributions of sums between $1,000 and $500 to date. The Denver headquarters of the national committee has collected $5,000 which is said to include a check of $1,000 from former Senator William A. Clarke, of Montana. The smallest contribution received was one cent, which came in the mail from Monroe, Washington

The major part of the Democratic campaign fund has come from dollar contributors and from the Democratic press which started campaign subscriptions.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—National Chairman Mack tonight said that he did not know that the New York headquarters had made public any campaign contributions or the amount of the campaign fund.

"The campaign contributions will be made known officially on October 15th, and all I can say is that I wished we had all the money they say we have."

DIED.

SMITH—Oct. 9th, Mary Catherine, wife of R. W. Smith, aged 64 years. Funeral this (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock, from residence 901 Orange street. Interment in Bellevue. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

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GODWIN AT FAIRMONT.

Congressional Nominee Greeted by Many Robeson Democrats.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fairmont, N. C., Oct. 9.—On last Tuesday night, though short notice had been given, Congressman H. L. Godwin spoke to a good sized crowd, which assembled in the Academy to hear some of the political issues discussed.

Mr. Godwin did not try to take any undue advantage of his opponent in his absence, but spoke only in a business way as every voter should look at it. He did not villify and abuse the Republicans any further than the actual facts and figures show for themselves. He spoke just like he works; he goes at it in a good business-like way. He first laid his foundation well and then began to build upon it.

Mr. Godwin began by contrasting Republicaism with Democracy, showing that under Republican rule the average man had to bow down to a few political bosses and office holders, while on the other hand under the Democratic banner, the most humble citizen could enjoy his rights and privileges as a free American citizen. He portrayed the difference between the Republican and Democratic administrations in our own State.

Mr. Godwin made a grand and powerful speech and closed by appealing to every voter who believes in a free American citizenship; who desires protection for his home and society, and who desires the advancement of State and county, to come out and vote the Democratic ticket this year and help roll up the largest majority for Democracy ever recorded in the history of the State and Nation.

At a praise service last night in New Orleans between 1,000 and 1,500 delegates to the International Missionary Convention of Christ were welcomed. A chorous of several hundred voices was one of the features of this service. Tomorrow the general business of the convention will begin.

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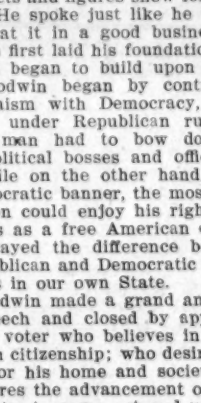

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to be our judge, Geo O. Gaylord's Stores have had their Fall opening, and extended the most liberal invitation to everyone to visit and inspect our stock, we will now leave the decisionin your hands Judging from the immense crowds that we had both days of the opening, and the number of pleasant compliments paid us on the wealth of merchandise that we had to show and from the way the ladies purchased their early Fall hats, we must pronounce our opening a great success. We say we are cheaper than other stores, not that we carry less desirable goods in style and quality, but there are many reasons why we can sell for less and one of the chief reasons that in this one store there are many stores, each department representing a store within itself. I wish to extend thanks for all the clerks and milliners in the store and myself for the very large attendance that we had, and now down to business. We want to sell you more good than we have ever sold you, and do it, yes, sure we will do it. Our customers have not been buying so many goods through the Summer, and now the 35,000 people that live in this city, and the 50,000 that live in the County need their Fall and Winter supplies. We have just the articles you want, the goods are new, the prices are right. Our Dress Goods Department has just been newly supplied with Panamas', Mohairs, Broadcloth's, Voiles, Peaudesoi Silks, Taffetas and Fall Percales and everything that is new and pretty in that department. Think! We are selling today 36 inch Henrietta at 25c per yard, today twelve months ago it was 50c, Soisete Silks, glossy and serviceable good enough for a queen and only 25c per yard to you. 54 inch Panama in Black $1.00 quality now 65c. $1.25 Peaudesoi Silks for $1.00 per yard today. Standard yard wide Percales only 10c. Beat these prices? No you can't.

Our Cloak Department and Tailor made suits has grown so big and strong we can hardly get room for them, just think what we can show you today a beautiful Broadcloth coat, full 50 inches long, made to fit perfect, trimmed enough to be neat, but not loaded with cheap trimmings, last season this coat would easily bring $12.50, today price is $8.00. The Swell coats that we have is some for the few that wants something that nobody else has got, and the kind that is a little better than her neighbors, the only thing that I can describe about them is the price and that is about $25.00 each. Now to the lady that wants a 54 inch coat that looks as good as a neighbors $15.00 coat let her come to us and I will sell it to her for $5.00 or $6.00. The styles, quantity and prices can not be described come and look at them. It does not take much pocket change to buy one, but they are reasonable for all to obtain. Our Tailor Made Suits is the talk of the town, we have won first place in this department from the beginning. If we have not got just the style you want and color you like and size you need why we will order it for you, and all we require is your word that you will take it when it comes. I can't tell it all, every clerk in the store sent a special message for you to come and see them. You know the place, of course you do, The Big Store on Front Street that gives away premiums every day, if you have not got it, get the habit and come early before the plumes are all gone.

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MR. BRYAN IN ILLINOIS

He Speaks to Immense Crowd in Goldsboro—Denounces Roosevelt for Participating in Campaign. Ridicules Taft's Position.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galesburg, Ill., Oct. 9.—Standing on the same platform from which Mr. Taft, his Republican opponents, only a few days ago delivered an address W. J. Bryan today denounced President Roosevelt once again for participating in the campaign in behalf of Mr. Taft; asserted that Mr. Taft could give no promise of real reform, and attacked the Republican party generally, for, as he charged, its injustice to the laboring man and the people generally.

When the special train bearing the candidate arrived, a great crowd cheered him vociferously, and at Knox college where the platform was erected, he faced one of the largest audiences that ever assembled here. He took for his theme "Justice." Referring to Mr. Taft's visit, Mr. Bryan remarked:

"It is no new thing for you to see the next President, for having seen my opponent, Mr. Taft, and now seeing me, you are certain that you have seen the next President, although neither of us is as certain as we would like to be which one it is. And here too you saw, those of your who lived at that time two men who were pitted against each other in one of the bitterest contests that has been known in the history of the world, for I think I am safe in saying that the records of time give no parallel to the great series of debates between Lincoln and Douglas."

Mr. Bryan said that justice had been his theme 28 years ago and justice was his theme today.

He said he would try to show how on several different questions the Democratic party was appealing for justice. He then spoke concerning publicity of campaign contributions before election and ridiculed Mr. Taft for expressing a "personal inclination" toward that proposition and not coming out squarely for it. The crowd was moved to cheers when he declared that the Democratic party insisted upon justice to those who toil.

"The Republican party," he said, "has allowed the lobbyists of great corporate interests to stifle labor legislation," and he informed his hearers that the Democratic party's remedy was to handle the laboring man as a human being and not as a mere piece of merchandise."

JEALOUSY WAS THE CAUSE

Two Men Killed and One Wounded as the Result.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Manassas, Va., Oct. 9.—As the result of a husband's jealousy two men are dead and another wounded at the old Fair farm at Canova, six miles from Manassas today. Edward Fair and his wife, and brother, Allen Fair, called on their neighbor, Tucker Posey yesterday afternoon. While there Edward Fair's attention was attracted to what he regarded as unusual friendliness between his wife and his brother Allen. Angered by their conduct he hurried from the Possey home and procured a gun to avenge his fancied injury. Upon his return to the Posey home he shot and instantly killed his brother, and turned the gun upon his wife, but was prevented from shooting her by the interference of Tucker Posey, who received the shot intended for the wife. During the struggle that followed Posey took the gun from Fair and striking him upon the head killed him instantly. The Fair brothers were sons of the late Carter Fair, one of the best known men of this county.

PELLAGRA IN CHARLOTTE

Third Victim of Fearful New Disease Fell Yesterday.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 9.—Pellagra, the rare disease which is baffling physicians hereabouts, claimed its third victim here today when Miss Sue Woods, 30 years old, of Meridian, Miss., a daughter of Justice Woods, of the Supreme Court of Mississippi, died at the Presbyterian hospital.

Miss Woods has been under observation and treatment for three weeks and physicians have traveled many miles to see the unfortunate woman and to study the malady.

Dr. A. W. Babcock, of Columbia, S. C., who recently returned from Italy, where he investigated the malady as it exists among the peasantry, of that country, held a clinic for the North Carolina Medical College and visiting and local physicians here. Dr. Babcock states that there are probably 200 cases of the malady in the Southern States. The disease is directly traceable to diseased corn, and is found to be non-communicable.

—Monroe Journal: After the late floods a skeleton was found on the banks of Rocky river near the James Russell place that makes more than a nine days wonder for that neighborhood. Only a part of the bones were washed up and the remainder were dug up after the find was made. It was not near any known burying ground, and no one in the neighborhood knows anything of any burial at that place. The skeleton was intact, but there was no way of guessing how long it had been there. From the position in which it was laying the conclusion was reached that it was not the result of a natural burial.

For Sore Feet.

"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts, and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W. Stone, of East Poland, Maine. It is the proper thing too for piles. Try it! Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 25c.

TAFT'S SOUTHERN TOUR

He Will Speak in Greensboro On 17th Inst.—Then Go to Washington to Hold Conference With the President.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cincinnati, Oct. 9.—W. H. Taft and President Roosevelt will have a consultation in Washington, where the candidate will spend Sunday, October 18th. Arranging his future work in the campaign was the task the candidate devoted himself to today.

After the three days in Ohio, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, Mr. Taft will turn his attention to the South for the remaining three days of the week. The Ohioan let it be known today that he was in no sense "chasing rainbows" in his intended tour of the South, but had heretofore made promises that, should he go on the stump, he would speak in certain Southern cities. He will keep those promises. They include speeches at Louisville, Ky., October 15th; Chattanooga, Knoxville and Bristol, Tenn., October 16th; Greensboro, N. C., October 17th and Richmond, Va. The Richmond meeting will take place Saturday night, and at its conclusion the Taft special will make for Washington to remain until Monday morning.

Newark, Trentin and Camden, New Jersey, will be visited on Monday, October 19th, after which Mr. Taft will return to Baltimore, and then turn westward again, speaking the next day in West Virginia and then devote October 21st to Ohio and the succeeding three days to Indiana. He will make one speech in Chicago and then give the remainder of the campaign to New York city and State, closing his work on the night of November 2nd, at Youngstown, Ohio.

A. I. Vorys will accompany Mr. Taft on the remainder of his campaign tours.

KERN SPEAKING IN VIRGINIA.

Attacks Republican Party for Keeping up Sectional Animosity.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Fincastle, Va., Oct. 9.—Speaking to the farmers of Botetourt county here today, John W. Kern, Democratic vice Presidential candidate, declared that the Republican platform guaranteed to the rich men, who furnish the party campaign funds, a profit on their business. "Have you heard anything about it guaranteeing you a profit on your crops?" he asked. He charged the Republican party with having kept alive the old time enmity between the North and the South. He declared that it was not until the people of the North witnessed in amazement the sons of Virginia marching side by side with the soldiers of the North in the Spanish war that they could be made to believe that you of the South had come to love the country's flag."

Mr. Kern reached Fincastle, from his sister's home in the county, by driving six miles through a pelting rain. He left soon after noon for Clifton Forge, Va., where he will speak tonight.

Clifton Forge, Va., Oct. 9.—Jno W. Kern, the Democratic vice Presidential nominee, paid a hurried visit to this city tonight making the last address of his tour through Virginia. He spoke to a large audience in the Masonic Opera house. His voice was husky from his labors of the past few days. He took up Mr. Taft's record on the subject of injunctions, declaring that regardless of the promises the Republican candidate may make now, his (Kern's) hearers, many of whom were factory workers, would not be mislead by Taft's protestations. "Mr. Taft's unfitness for the office of President," he said, "if not sufficiently demonstrated by his record as a judge, was shown by the fact that he had to take his speech of acceptance to Oyster Bay to have it O. K.'d by the President.

GREAT HISTORICAL PEGEANT

Founders' Week in Philadelphia Reveals Scenes of Past.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Philadelphia, Oct. 9.—Like pages out of the past, torn from the great book of history and heavy laden with the memories of 225 years, the living scenes of the first great historical pageant ever planned in this country were unfolded today before a concourse of three-fourths of a million people. In this wonderful drama of centuries the cluminating feature of Philadelphia's notable celebration of founders week, there were 5,000 men and women in costumes. There were 70 mammoth floats faithful in their portrayal of the scenes selected from the long span of years that have marked the passing milestones of the city. People fought to get a glimpse of it, and hundreds of women were taken crushed and fainting from the congested corners.

The "old Liberty bell" on a carefully guarded truck and partly buried in straw, was shown as it was being hurried away to Allentown in a hay wagon for safe keeping in 1777

HESTER'S COTTON STATEMENT

World's Visible Supply as Issued Yesterday by New Orleans Statistician.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Oct. 9.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 2,396,129 against 2,137,868 last week and 2,578,614 last year. Of this the total o fAmerican cotton is 1,862,129 against 1,568,868 last week and 1795,738 last year, and of all other kinds including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 534,000 against 569,000 last week and 782,876 last year. Of the world's visible supply there is now afloat and in Great Britain and Continental Europe 1,277,000 against 1,432,000 last year; in Egypt 64,000 against 64,000 last year; in India 207,000 against 361,000 last year, and in the United States 848,000 against 722,000 last year.

WARM WIRELETS.

Directors of the New Orleans cotton exchange announced yesterday that they had eliminated low middling stained from the list of tenderable grades.

The United States cruiser Prairie, arriving yesterday at Norfolk, Va., from Colon, reports receipts of wireless message on Thursday from the steamer Advance saying that the steamer Aberdeen is in distress on North Carolina coast and signalling for a tug. The vessel lost her rudder in the prevailing gale. Wrecking tugs have left for the scene.

President Brush, of the New York National League, late yesterday emphatically stated that the matter of the alleged tie New, York-Chicago game of September 23rd will not be taken to the United States courts in the form of a request for an injunction prohibiting the Chicago club from playing the world's championship series with Detroit, beginning today.

The fact that Andrew Carnegie has contributed $20,000 to the campaign fund of the Republican national committee was announced yesterday by State Chairman Timothy L. Woodruff. Mr. Woodruff also announced that Mrs. Russell Sage has contributed $1,000 to the same fund. There have been no other large contribution from any individuals, Mr. Woodruff said, but small sums are coming in from various sources.

News reached Athens, Ala., of the killing late Thursday of Andrew Jackson, living near the Lauderdale county line, by a preacher named Livingston. An enmity is said to have existed between the two men for some time. Livingston was later caught wandering about the woods barefooted and clad only in his under garments ,but he subsequently escaped. He is believed to be demented.

Hon. Joseph A. Morris, of Jesup, Ga., representative from Wayne county, whose term of office expired Wednesday, went to the office of the Jesup Sentinel early yesterday in compan with Mr. J. V. Robertson, where the former found Editor T. B. Hartig and struck him a number of lashes with a horse whip. The difficulty is the outgrowth of alleged statements that Mr. Morris claims the editor has made derogatory to his character.

RAISING CHURCH FUNDS.

The Kaffirs Mix In a Lot of Fun With Their Generosity.

The gentle Kaffir when he does become Christianized has his own ideas of the best method of raising funds for the support of the "cause." From the subjoined description of a native meeting sent home by a missionary it would appear that native generosity, although of a rough and tumble character, is distinctly productive of ways and means:

"Recently I attended a native tea meeting, at which more than £12 was raised by this very poor congregation. Their way of doing it was characteristic and amusing. They paid 2 shillings to sit down to tea. Then some one would pay 3 shillings for such and such a man to be required to get up again and leave the table. The man thus assailed would pay 3s. 6d. for leave to sit down again. There was a special table at which six could sit, paying an extra shilling each for the privilege. They had just got seated when a man paid 7 shillings to clear them out, and they paid another 8 shillings to sit on, and so it went on. They arrange all this themselves, and this is their way of giving to the cause. One man had a tin of sirup. He said he would pay 2 shillings to pour it over another man's head who had got himself up well in a large collar, etc.; this man paid 3 shillings to be let off, the first man 4 shillings again to do it, the other 5 shillings to escape, the first 6 shillings to do it—and did it, and, oh, the laughter and the mess!"

THE SACRED CODFISH.

Famous Emblem That Adorns the Massachusetts Statehouse.

A codfish carved in wood hangs on the white mahogany wall of the Massachusetts hall of representatives in the statehouse in Boston. Between two classic pillars it occupies a place of honor, directly opposite the desk of the presiding officer. This wooden fish is the renowned original sacred codfish of the Old Colony, and it has assisted at the deliberations of the lawmakers of Massachusetts for more than a century and a half, gathering sanctity year by year. It is a relic of the old building which preceded the present statehouse, and great is the dignity of this souvenir of colonial art and industry.

The following account of its origin is given in a Boston paper:

"Captain John Welch of Boston was the creator and carver of the celebrated fish. He was a wood carver of renown for his time and in 1747 established his business in Dock square. He belonged to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company and afterward became its captain. He was called upon to contribute to the decoration of the colonial assembly hall, and as at that period codfish was the colony's main article of export Captain Welch conceived the idea of immortalizing the king fish of the Massachusetts waters. When completed the carving was finished off and colored so as to be a fac simile of life and was hung on the wall of the assembly hall."

Excellent Heart Advice.

Mrs. M. M. Davison, of No. 397 Gifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy, for headache, billiousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor, for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health for the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c.

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Faces of Young Men and Women Have all Appearances of Old Age.

IT IS NOT CAUSED BY TIME

Is the Result of American Manner of Living, Which Means a Hurried Life, Old Age in Youth and a Quick Finish.

The people of Wilmington have evidently realized the value of the Dillingham lectures, which are now being delivered each evening at the corner of Fourth and Castle streets. The attendance last night was unusually large and there were few persons in the gathering who were not impressed by the forcible talk delivered by Col. Dillingham's lecturer.

On this occasion Mr. Mills devoted his remarks to that common ailment, indigestion, and nervous indigestion in particular, which is one of the most widely prevalent diseases to which the American people are subject, and in the course of his lecture Mrs. Mills said:

"The keynote of our modern existence is expressed by the one word, 'Hurry'. We have reached a stage where we sacrifice everything for the sake of speed; we hurry through our meals, our sleep, work and pleasures, and literally rush into the grave, for there is no surer way of hastening to the great beyond than by wrecking the digestive organs and nervous system. The results of this manner of living are visible on every hand. As we walk along the streets we are barely able to distinguish youth from old age; the withering hand of disease has so pinched and seamed the faces of the young men and women of today that they bear all the appearances of having lived twice the actual number of their years. If you will not live rationally, let us do the next best thing by trying to repair the damage as we go, and not wait until it is too late."

Mr. Mills explained the manner in which the Plant Juice remedies made new men and women out of worn out nervous wrecks. He told his audience that Plant Juice would reconstruct the nervous system, strengthen the digestive apparatus and restore this class of sufferers to sound health, as it did in the case of Mr. T. A. Collins, a railroad man of Charlotte, from whom Mr. Mills read the following statement:

"Three years ago I was a strong, healthy man and weighed about two hundred pounds, but have recently weighed as low as one hundred and forty-five pounds. The first indication that I had of failing health was the loss of my appetite, which gradually disappeared until I had no relish whatever for food and frequently unable to eat at all, at which time I was forced to sustain life on beef tea and broths. When I did eat I had every reason to regret it. After eating I invariably experienced a bloated, puffed-up feeling; the pressure of gas and an extremely foul breath convinced me that I was a victim of indigestion, which I learned after listening to one of Colonel Dillingham's lectures, was also due to my extreme nervousness.

"I made up my mind to give Plant Juice Tonic a trial and shall always consider it the most fortunate decision of my life. I began taking the medicine but a few days ago and after taking the second bottle I noticed a decided improvement. My appetite has returned, and, best of all, I am able to digest my meals."

—Wadesboro Messenger: Mr. E. W. Flake, self-appointed candidate to represent this county in the Lower House of the next Legislature, spoke in the court house here Tuesday afternoon. In lieu of the old army haversack he used to carry around, when he was trying to elect a colored man on the board of county commissioners of Anson, he was provided with a new leather hand bag

The fishing schooner Ida owned in Pensacola was destroyed by fire in the Gulf early yesterday when gasoline which had escaped from the tank ignited, causing an explosion. Ten thousand pounds of mackerel which composed the cargo were destroyed.

CASE AFTER CASE.

Plenty More Like This in Wilmington.

Scores of Wilmington people can tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills. Many a happy citizen makes a public statement of his experience. Here is a case of it. What better proof of merit can be had than such endorsement?

Joseph Vereen, 722 Dock St., Wilmington, N. C., says: Some time ago I strained myself while lifting and soon after my back became very lame and sore. I could not stoop without having sharp pains shoot through my body. My kidneys also bothered me and I had a constant desire to pass the secretions, particularly at night. I could get nothing to relieve the trouble until I purchased Doan's Kidney Pills at Robert R. Bellamy's drugstore. The use of two boxes stopped the pain in my back and corrected the action of my kidneys. I very willingly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the Republican national committee said that he would publish a list of all the contributions made to the Republican committee after election. An appeal for contributions to the Republican national campaign fund of $50 each from $10,000 business men was issued yesterday by Mr. Sheldon.

Lucy Mitchell, 40 years old, charged with killing Minnie McBryde a 17-year old girl with an axe in her room at Union Hall, Franklin county Thursday night was brought to the Roanoke jail late Thursday night for safe keeping. Threats of lynching were made at Union Hall.

Why is Sugar Sweet?

If sugar did not dissolve in the mouth you could not taste the sweet. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic, but you do not taste the bitter because the ingredients do not dissolve in the mouth, but do dissolve readily in the acids of the stomach. Is just as good for Grown People as for Children. The First and Original Tasteless Chill Tonic. The Standard for 30 years, 50c.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

WANTED—Bright young man 16 or 18 years of age, preferably with some experience in office and who is not afraid of work. Address in own handwriting, giving present or last employment and what salary expected. Address "C. B. B.," care Star office, City. oct 10 6t*

YOUNG MAN wants position as grocery clerk, wholesale or retail. Seven years experience. Best of references. Address "Clerk" care of Star. oct 10-1t*

LOST—Gold pin (Masonic) yesterday on Newbern train or on Front or Princess street. Reward for recovery if left at No. 20 North Fifth street. oct 10-1t*

FOR SALE—One of the prettiest locations for a dwelling in the city. Smith & Lord, 'phone 766, No. 114 Princess street. oct 9 tf

FOR RENT—Three-story store, No. 203 Princess street. Building has freight elevator; rooms over No. 15 North Second street. Smith & Lord, 'phone 766, No. 114 Princess street. oct 9 tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—200-acre farm, about 80 acres cleared, six-room dwelling and all necessary outhouses thereon; seven miles from Wilmington on Scott's Hill road and half mile from Baymeade railroad station. Apply to W. F. Alexander, Third and Princess streets. oct 4 10-2t.

EXPECT A CAR LOAD of wood soon, which is more than I have room for; will sell part cheap. Address "X" care of Star office. oct 9 1t

MALE HELP WANTED—Wholesale Liquor House, who ship gallon orders to users, wants local representatives everywhere. Big pay for work among your friends. For full particulars, write Keene & Co., Covington, Kentucky. oct 8-2w

NEW AND SECOND-HAND machinery, boilers, engines, pulleys, shafting, etc., bought sold and exchanged. Write us. Machinery Exchange, Fayeteville, N. C. oct 7-1m

FOR SALE—Gas Range and gas water heater cheap. Call at Hyman Supply Co. oct 7 5t

LUMBER AT RETAIL—Grades and prices right. See us before buying. Angola Lumber Co. aug 30 tf

PAPER HANGING—New stock, large assortment to select from. Special samples from best manufacturers. Quick, neat and clear work guaranteed. Telephone 1356, Wilmington House Furnishing & Decorating Co., C. L. Fowler, Manager, 202 Princess street. sep 13-1m

GILBERT HOUSE—Steam heat, electric lights, hot and cold water, cars from depot to door. Reasonable rates by day, week or month. A. M. Gilbert. oct 2-tf

WILL HAVE on hand this week, fine tomatoes, lettuce, celery, horseradish and home- raised radish. Full line of fruit and vegetables. Tokay and Malaga grapes. Farm and garden seed. Flower bulbs for house and garden and flower pots to grow them in. W. J. Kirkham & Co., 104 South Front street. se 23-1m

TYPEWRITERS sold and rented by Typewriter Supply, P. O. Box 641, 'phone 625. oct 2 tf

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED—A single man who is not afraid of work, with some experience in mercantile business to handle groceries and whiskey. Countryman preferred. Address "xxx" care of Star office. oct 6-1w.*

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—I have removed to 123 Market street, in the building formerly occupied by Jos. C. Shepard as a Drug Store and have a full and complete stock of fine chandeliers, Portables, and a complete stock of batteries; and in fact everything Electrical. With a force of competent electricians I am prepared to wire your house at very short notice at moderate prices. Our work is of the best character from an experience of 20 years or more. Remember the place, 123 Market street, 'Phone 573. No trouble to make you an estimate on any electric work you may have to let. J. O. BROCK, Electrical Engineer and Contracter. oct 6- tf

BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up to date. Harnett House, 110 Princess St. Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 713. sep 22-tf

A LOT OF INK BARRELS and kegs for sale at one-half value to get them out of the way. Apply at the Star office. au 29-tf.

OFFICES FOR RENT—In the Garrell Building, southwest corner Princess and Second streets. Splendid location, steam heat, electric and gas lights and elevator. Call at building or on Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. jy 9-tf

NOTICE—Reduction of price, milk for cash. Beginning Monday, Sept. 7th we will sell milk tickets for cash at the rate of 10 cents per quart. Milk monthly or tickets to be charged 12 1-2 cents per quart. Shadeland Dairy Co., depot corner of Eighth and Princess streets. 'Phone 468. sep 6 tf

Academy of Music

ALL NEXT WEEK

MASON NEWCOMB STOCK CO.

POPULAR PRICES

10—20—30—CENTS.

Monday Night

"MIDNIGHT IN CHINATOWN."

Ladies Free and Seats Selling Saturday at Plummer's.

oct 9 3t.

Men's Fashion Shop

Novelties in Cluett Coat Shirts, pleated bosom, Venetian stripes $1.50

New line of Neckwear, imported Silks, Four-in-Hands and Bat wings.

Your Suit never fits unless

TAYLOR THE TAILOR

measures you.

Next to Elks' Temple, North Front street.

oct 9 tf

IT EATS DIRT

Gets all the dirt, all the time, every time.

The "Invincible" Renovator. The greater Proven efficiency of this machine over all devices and methods for renovating instantly commends its adoption where cost of labor, time and economy are a consideration Carpets, rugs and draperies cleaned without wear or tear, give us a trial. Phone 870 and our representative will call to see you.

CAROLINA RENOVATING CO.

Rooms 23-27 Odd Fellows Bldg., 3rd and Princess sts.

ju 4-tf.

LEAD HIM IN

Don't take your injured carriage home if you have broken down on the road, without being repaired. We are leaders in this line, and will repair any kind of a break or give your carriage, wagon or other vehicles a general overhauling at a moderate cost.

J. O. BROWN

No. 13 North Third Street.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Clarkton Express: Mr. O. L. Clark, Democratic nominee for the Senate, returned from Crony this morning. He spoke there to a large crowd Wednesday night. He tells us that they have a Democratic club there with a hundred members.

—Newton Enterprise: There have been light frosts for a week. The heaviest was Sunday morning. But none has been severe enough to kill anything. Farmers tell us that cotton is so nearly all matured that a killing frost would do no damage, and in fact would be an advantage.

—Salisbury Post: George Hall, who at the August 1906 term of Rowan Superior Court was convicted of conspiracy as one of the party that lynched three of the alleged murderers of Isaac Lyerly, his wife and two children, has escaped from the State farm near Weldon, where he was serving a term of fifteen years.

—Spartanburg, S. C., Oct. 8.—Turner & Crocker's gin at Cherokee Springs, seven miles northeast of here, was posted by night riders Tuesday night. They are warned not to gin or buy any more cotton until there was a decided advance in the price. The proprietors of the gin have ignored the threat.

—Jefferson, Oct. 8.—The surveying of the railroad from Troutdale, Va., to points in Ashe county, Jefferson and Creston, by the Virginia-Southern Railroad Company is still in progress. It is thought that the permanent route will soon be selected and the permanent survey made, and the people of Ashe county are enthusiastic over the outlook for a railroad.

—Greensboro Telegram: People from distant States are beginning to arrive for the Centennial and Home-Coming and nearly every train for the next few days will probably bring in some person who left this county years ago for disant parts to reside. Forty or fifty Indiana people arrived last night in a special car. Their arrival had been announced and many friends were at the station to greet them. In many cases visitors and home folks had not seen one another in years and the greetings were tender and affecting.

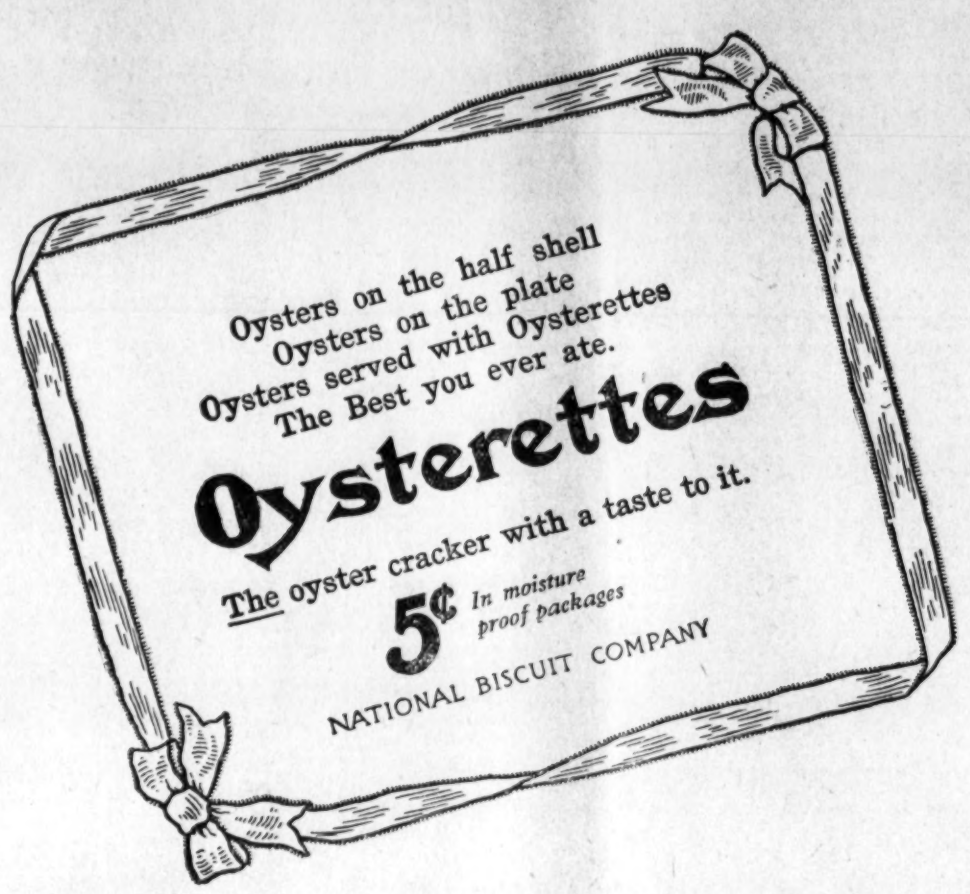
Winston Journal: Little Miss Lula Jones, the daughter of Mr. Lewis Jones, of Walkertown, who was bitten Saturday morning, left yesterday for Raleigh to enter the Pasteur institute for treatment. She was accompanied by her father and Dr. Hammock. The dog by which she was bitten was a shepherd and was not known in the neighborhood. Immediately after the little girl was bitten and the dog killed its brains were sent to Dr. Shore at Raleigh, for analysis and it was found that the canine had hydrophobia.

Winston Times: Messrs. Fred Connor and John Bruton, Jr., caught a wild cat this morning in a rabbit box at Mr. Conor's farm. The cat made a savage attack on Mr. Connor and was chewing his foot when Mr. Bruton appeared on the scene and in order to save his comrade, grabbed the feline monster, who buried his fangs and paws in the rescurer's hand, that is badly lacerated. The trio made a mournful procession as they repaired to Judge Connor's residence, where the cat is on exhibition. It is a very dangerous species.

—Liberty, N. C., Oct. 8.—Senator Lee S. Overman spoke to a very enthusiastic crowd here today. He urged the young men to remember the dark days of Republican rule in North Carolina and told them that North Carolina had derived all her prosperity from Democratic legislation. He made a powerful attack on the trust by showing its grasp on the party that made it so powerful. The Democratic county candidates were here today making the canvass alone, as the Republicans have refused a joint canvass.

—Monroe Journal: "I was in the recorder's court the other day," said a citizen, "and witnessed a piece of Southern gallantry that showed the old-time spirit. There was a lawsuit on between a white man and his wife. The man had a lawyer and a long array of witnesses. The woman had neither witness nor lawyer, and appeared in court friendless. Two men who happened to be present and saw how matters stood, called out another lawyer and said: 'We don't know anything about this case, and we never saw that young woman before, but if you will take her case and fight it, here is the money for your fee.' They handed over the cash and the lawyer took the case. It was an incident worthy to be recorded."

—Greensboro Record: In the Federal Court yesterday afternoon there came up for trial the case of an old negro from Alamance county indicted by the government for retailing. It seems that the old fellow had in his house "fer personal use" a two gallon jug of corn whiskey. Three beardless youths of the neighborhod made up a pot, so to speak of $1.25 and prevailed upon the "personal user" to dispense to them a portion of his joyful fluid. After the testimony of these three boys was adduced the government itself asked for a verdict of not guilty and the court directed the entry of such verdict. Just here his Honor, Judge Boyd, took occasion (rightfully and humanely so) to read a lecture: "Here, you boys, what do you mean by buying liquor from this old negro? You are a pretty looking trio to be engaged in such practice, aren't you? I want to say to you right here, that hereafter I am going to hold the law to be, when parties purchase liquor from another party and the case comes before me, that the purchasers themselves are guilty and you'll have a hard time getting out of my court without conviction."


Oysters on the half shell
Oysters on the plate
Oysters served with Oysterettes
The Best you ever ate.
Oysterettes
The oyster cracker with a taste to it.
5¢ In moisture proof packages
NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Academy of Music
Matinee and Night.
Saturday, October 10th.
Big Scenic Production of
"On the Bridge at Midnight"
Matinee Prices—25 and 35 cents.
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Seats Selling Friday at Plummer's
oct 7 8 10

ORIENT CLARK'S ELEVENTH ANNUAL CRUISE. February 4th, '09. 71 days, by special chartered steamer, S. S. "Arabic" 4 mos. round the world Oct. 16, '09. F. C. CLARK, Times Bldg., N. Y.

WINTER SCHEDULE
Steamer Wilmington.
On and after Sunday, September 13th, steamer will leave daily at 9:30 A. M. for Southport returning leaves Southport at 2:30 P. M.
Capt. J. W. HARPER.
sept 12 tf

MONEY TO LOAN
on Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Pistols or anything of value. You can always find bargains in unredeemed pledges at
WILMINGTON PAWN & LOAN OFFICE
108 Market Street.
au 30-tf

BURRETT H. STEPHENS
Architect and Consulting Engineer
406 Southern Building.
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Special Low Rates to Raleigh Via Seaboard Account State Fair, October 12th to 17th.
The Seaboard announces round-trip rates from all points in North Carolina, including Portsmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk, Va., to Raleigh and return at very low round trip rates, including admission coupon to Fair grounds, based on rates effective prior to July 1st, 1907; tickets sold October 9th to 16th inclusive with final return limit October 19th.
Round trip rates from principal points, including admission coupon to Fair ground as follows:

From Charlotte	$6.15
From Weldon	3.85
From Portsmouth-Norfolk	5.95
From Lincolnton	7.15
From Shelby	7.10
From Wadesboro	4.70
From Sanford	2.10
From Maxton	4.05
From Wilmington	5.05
From Richmond	5.05
From Oxford	2.40
From Henderson	2.20
From Hamlet	3.90

Low round trip per capita rates for military companies and brass bands in uniform, twenty or more on each ticket, will be sold on basis of one cent per mile in each direction, not including admission coupons to Fair grounds, ticket to bear same limit and conditions as for individuals with exception that party has to travel on one ticket.
Special trains will be operated from Weldon, Oxford, Louisburg, Hamlet and all points on the Aberdeen & Asheboro R. R., and the Durham & Southern Railway to Raleigh and return on Wednesday and Thursday, October 14th and 15th.
For schedule see flyers or confer with your local ticket agent. Any additional information will be furnished upon application to the undersigned.
C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

WALKOVER SHOES
$3.50
$4.00
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Latest Styles, in all Leathers

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PETERSON & RULFS
Next to Murchison Bank.
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The Peerless Maxwell.....
GUARANTEED FOR 12 MONTHS AND WILL LAST TEN YEARS. A WISE AND DISCRIMINATING BUYER WILL INVESTIGATE.
FRANK HERBST, Sole Agent
sep 4 tf

A Hat Full of Cheapest Coal Costs One Cent

Lasts over night in the original
"VORTEX" HOT BLAST
Guaranteed air tight always. Saves you $16 to $25 in fuel every year.
N. Jacobi Hardware Co.
Sole Agents.
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Advertising Makes Business Hum

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect, Saturday, October 10, 1908.

TO

THE BEACH

FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30:, 7:00, 8:30 P. M.
SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00 8:30 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM WRIGHTSVILLE

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:20, 7:25, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:25, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 I. M.
SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:55, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM THE BEACH

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 7:15, 7:45, 9:15, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.
SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:45, 10:45 A. M. 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

TO GOLF LINKS AND DELGADO FROM WILMINGTON

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *2:25, 3:00, *3:45, 4:30 *5:05, 6:00, *6:05, 7:00, *7:05, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
SUNDAYS—Leave at *8:25, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., *12:05, 1:00, *1:25, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM GOLF LINKS AND DELGADO

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:35, 7:40, 8:10, 8:40, 9:40, 11:10 A. M., 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, *3:55, 4:10, *5:15, 5:40, *6:15, 6:40, *7:15, 8:10, *9:15, 9:40, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.
SUNDAYS—Leave at *8:35, *9:15, 10:10, 11:10 A. M., *12:15, 12:40, *1:35, 2:10, 3:40, 4:10, 4:40, 5:10, 5:40, 6:10, 7:10 8:10, 9:40, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.
*"Carolina" Car, all others shown in above schedule marked "Beach."

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Leav Wilmington Daily except Sunday 4:00 P. M.
Freight Depot open from 3:00 to 4:00 P. M.

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New York for Wilmington.
S. S. Carib.....Friday, Oct. 2nd
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Wilmington to New York.
S. S. Navahoe.....Saturday, Oct. 3rd
S. S. Carib.....Saturday, Oct. 10th
Wilmington for Georgetown.
S. S. Navahoe.....Monday, Sept. 28th
S. S. Carib.....Monday, Oct. 5th
Both steamers have good passenger accommodations.
Through bills of lading and lowest through rates guaranteed to and from points in North and South Carolina.
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Prompt service and satisfaction guaranteed.

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PHONE 789
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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Sept. 7, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 43.	No. 41.
Lv. Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:53 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount...	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon.....	4:55 pm	2:36 pm
Ar Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg....	7:00 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington....	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore.....	1:41 am	10:00 am
Ar. Philadelphia...	4:21 am	12:18 pm
Ar. New York.....	7:23 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:35 pm
Ar Philadelphia ...	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon.....	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount ..	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson.....	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro.....	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:30 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:20 pm	4:30 am
Ar Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'vlle		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	12:15 am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa.....	8:55 pm	7:00 am
Lv. Jacksonville...	8:55 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah.....	1:05 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston.....	5:30 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia.....	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	2:55 am
Ar. Wilmington....	12:25 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington..	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville.	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford.....	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington..	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern ...	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.
Trains No. 55 and 56 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective September 13th, 1908. Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.
Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.
No. 44 at 12:35 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local stations.
No. 40 arrives 12:20 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

	No. 45	No. 39.
Lv. Wilm't'n...	4:45 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n...	7.21 A. M.	5:43 P. M.
Ar. Maxton....	8:02 A. M.	6:35 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet....	8:45 A. M.	7:30 P. M.
Lv. Mamlet....	9:10 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe....	10:50 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte....	11:35 A. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points North.
No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.
For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.
J. D. EDWARDS,
Union Ticket Agent.
F. A. FETTER,
Agent.
Phone 86, Wilmington, N. C.
C. H. Gattis,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

Medium Size F. F. V. HAMS
J. Hargrove Taylor
131 MARKET ST. GROCER.
no 23-tf Phone 1051

COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm $1.90.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip and $2.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine stead 50 1-4c.; rosin steady $3.85; tar quiet $2.30; crude turpentine $2.75, $4.00 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	13
Rosin	58
Tar	98
Crude Turpentine	69

Receipts—Same day last year 44 casks spirits turpentine; 231 barrels rosin; 95 barrels tar; 70 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET

Same day last year—Steady, 11 2-16 dling.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 3-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—1,880 bales, same day last year 3,091 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina No. 1 hand picks 80c; No. 1 machine picks 75c; extra prime 85c; per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1 90c; extra prime 85c; Spanish 70c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 16c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 12 1-2c.

EGGS—Firm at 23c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm at 20@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35c to 37 1-2c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr.flint, 10; green, dull 6c. per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—New 90c@ $1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c to 70c per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 18c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—The cotton market was lower today, owing to increased apprehensions regarding the European political situation and talk of easier spot markets with the close barely steady at a net decline of 3 to 8 points. Sales were estimated at 125,000 bales.

The market opened steady at an advance of 2 to 5 points on better cables than expected and rains in the eastern belt, but soon eased off owing to scattering liquidation and local bear pressure, which reflected nervousness over the situation in the Balkans, and rumors that yesterday's late offerings from the south were freer and slightly easier. The market held pretty close to last night's finals during the middle session and found some support from scattered covering for over the week end, but became weak in the late trading on reports that near month contracts here were on a shipping parity with high grades in some sections of the South. The close was at practically the lowest figures of the day. The heavy into-sight movement added to the weakness in the afternoon as suggesting a rapid increase in the world's visible supply during the period of inaction in Manchester, while it was feared that the situation in southeast Europe might restrict trade on the Continent, which so far this season as shown by the exports has been the largest taker of American cotton. The South was a seller of late months during the day.

Receipts at the ports today were 57,368 bales, against 46,882 last week and 39,997 last year; for the week 340,000 bales, against 338,122 last week and 241,529 last year. Today's receipts at New Oorleans were 7,505 bales, against 5,511 last year and at Houston 12,155 against 7,171 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points down; middling uplands 9.00; middling gulf 9.25; sales 135.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
October	8.77	8.75
November	——	8.55
December	8.65	8.55
January	8.42	8.34
February	——	8.33
March	8.40	8.32
May	8.40	8.28
July	8.42	8.29
August b	8.38	——

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—The following are the total net receipts of Cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	539,506
New Orleans	142,441
Mobile	52.946
Savannah	362,374
Charleston	51,658
Wilmington	93,085
Norfolk	62,838
Baltimore	2,112
New York	54
Boston	818
Newport News	267
Philadelphia	279
San Francisco	400
Brunswick	34.770
Port Townsend	108
Pensacola	9,348
Jacksonville	4,176
El Paso, Texas	50
Texas C ty	2,402
Minor Ports	1,318
Total	1,360.950

Comparative Cotton Statement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—For the week ending Friday, October 9:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week 339,724.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 250,918.

Total receipts since September 1st 1,360,950.

Total receipts to same date last year 976,151.

Exports for the week 171,278.

Exports for same week last year 145,890.

Total exports since September 1st 864,979.

Total exports same date last year 622,985.

Stock at all United States ports 509,561.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 503,290.

Stock at all interior towns 350,626.

Stock at all interior towns, same time last year 213,136.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 541,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year 188,000.

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 9c; net receipts 21,949.

New Orleans—Steady, 8 13-16; net receipts 7,505.

Mobile—Easy, 8 5-8; net receipts 788.

Savannah—Easy, 8 5-8; net receipts 10,035.

Charleston—Dull, 8 1-2; net receipts 2,310.

Wilmington—Quiet, 8 5-8; net receipts 1,978.

Norfolk—teady, 8 3-4; net receipts 3,205.

Baltimore—Nominal, 9c; net receipts 1,464.

New York—Steady, 9c; net receipts

Boston—Quiet, 9c.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 925.

Brunswick—Net receipts 8,044.

Newport News—Net receipts 50.

Jacksonville—Net Receipts, 98.

Total today at all ports, Net—57,368; Great Britain 37,767; France 4,900; Continent 12,850; Stock 509,521.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net—339,724; Great Britain 86,648; France 29,035; Continent 55,545; Japan 50.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net— 1,366,950; Great Britain 312,585; France 131,588; Continent 420,306; Japan 500.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 9c; net receipts 12,155.

Augusta — Quiet, 8 3-6; net receipts 2,420.

Memphis—Quiet, 8 7-8; net receipts 5,647.

St. Louis—Quiet, 9c; net receipts 694.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 383.

Louisville—Firm, 9 1-8; net receipts 480.

Total today—Net receipts 23,905; gross receipts 25,722; shipments 19,165; sales 6,655; stock 207,460.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Oct. 9.—Cotton: slow; prices one point lower. American middling fair 5.52; good middling 5.16; middling 4.96; low middling 4.72; good ordinary 4.12; ordinary 3.72.

Sales 4,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 3,000 American. Receipts 10,000 bales including 9,900 American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet. October 4.67 1-2; October and November 4.57; November and December 4.52 1-2; December and January 4.52; January and February 4.51 1-2; February and March 4.52; March and pril 4.52 1-2; April and May 4.53; May and June 4.53 1-2; June and July 4.54; July and August 4.52 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—The drygoods market still rules generally quiet, but the movement in cotton goods is larger from the mills, converters and printers being the large buyers. Cotton yarns are held firmer by spinners Carpet wool is selling better. The jobbing trade is seasonably quiet, but many small orders for quick shipment continues as an important feature.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—The war cloud over western Europe was the principal topic of consideration and influence still today, although the centre of the disturbance in the securities markets shifted somewhat. The effect in New York was modified to some extent by counter factors. Conditions in the London market were reported in private cables as almost panicky. Foreign exchanges all turned strongly in favor of London. The mobilizing of the British fleet in the Mediterranean was the direct cause of this awakening of apprehension in London itself, that movement seeming to threaten the immediate entry of Great Britain into the field of warlike preparation. The direct effect on the New York market was much the same as yesterday. The local stock market was relieved of the effect of the foreign selling earlier than on previous days this week and the tendency toward recovery after the foreign business had been completed, which was perceptible on earlier days of the week, was resumed. It was helped by the strength of Rock Island and the Harriman issues which was due to the significance attached to the announcement of the provision for the $7,000,000 St. Louis and San Francisco notes maturing on December 1st. As the money market remained tranquil no attention was paid to the estimates of a cash outgo for the week of over $3,000,000. Not only in the stock market, but also in foreign exchange in British consols,and in wheat there was reaction from the day's most violent extreme. Final prices of stocks, in fact, show little change from the day before. Bonds were weak. Total sales were $3,566,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today, were 821,400 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—Money on call easy 1 to 1 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4. Time loans stronger; sixty days 2 1-2 per cent., ninety days 3 1-4; six months 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1-4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8515 to 25 for sixty day bills, and 4.8685 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 3-4 to 4.85. Bar silver 51 3-8. Mexican dollars 45.

Bradshaw's Report.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—Bradstreets tomorrow will say: Although trade reports are somewhat irregular in character, owing largely to varying weather conditions in different sections of the country and uncertainties caused by the impending elections, the general undertone is toward sustained improvement. Country trade has been comparatively quiet, because the farmers have been taking advantage of the ideal weather to complete their harvesting. However, the heavy marketing of crops has made for an increased railway tonnage and improved collections considerably, while exports of wheat are heavy. Iron and steel are quiet. There is less industrial idleness and in some instances business is developing for the first quarter of 1910 especially in shoes, lumber and pig iron.

The pig iron production for September exceded that of August by 4.2 percent. and it was the heaviest total recorded since November last, while it represents an increase of 35 per cent., over January 1908. Consumers stocks are said to be low, and this fact tends to stiffen the views of producers, who appear indisposed to contract beyond the first quarter of next year.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending October 8th number 526, against 225 last week, 192 in the like week of 1907, 192, 183 in 1905 and 196 in 1904.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	103 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. 3s reg	100 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. 4s reg	121
U. S. 4s cou	122
Amr. Tobacco Co. 6s	108
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	94 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99 1-4
L. & N. nUified 4s	99 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s off'd	55
Southern Railway 5s	102 5-8
U. S. Steel 5s	102

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	74 1-4
Amr. Car & Foundry	40 1-8
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	101
Amr. Cotton Oil Co.	34 5-8
Amr. Locomotive	47 3-4
Amr. Smelting and Ref	85 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	104 3-4
Amr. Sugar	130 1-2
American Tobacco Co. pfd	93
Atchison	87 3-8
Atchison pfd	94 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	87
Baltimore & Ohio	95
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	86
Chesapeake & Ohio	40 1-2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	134 1-4
Erie	31 3-8
Erie 1st pfd	43 5-8
Erie 2nd pfd	36 1-2
Kansas City Southern	26 1-8
Kan. City Southern pfd	60
L. & N.	104 3-4
Norfolk and Western	72 1-2
Pennsylvania	122 7-8
People's Gas	95
Reading	129 1-8
Rock Island	19 1-2
Rock Island Co. pfd	47 3-4
Southern Pacific	121 3-4
Southern Pacific pfd	117
Southern Railway	21
Southern Railway pfd	51 1-2
Standard Oil Co.	622
Union Pacific	162
U. S. Steel	45 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	108 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	31 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	108 1-2
Western Union	58 1-2
Westinghouse Electric Co.	73 1-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—Flour firmly held with trading quiet.

Rye flour—Quiet.

Buckwheat flour and Barley steady.

Corn Meal and Rye—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 107 3-4 @ 108 3-4 elevator. Options 1-4 to 3-8c net higher. December 110 1-4; May 110 7-8.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 84 1-2 nominal elevator. Options net unchanged. December 76 1-4; May 73 1-2.

Oats—Spot steady; mlexd 52 @ 53.

Tallow—Dull.

Rice—Steady.

Mollasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 343 @ 348; centrifugal 96 test 393 @ 398; molasses sugar 3.18 @ 3.23; refined quiet.

Coffee—Steady Rio No. 7, 6 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-8; mild coffee dull, Cordova 9 1-4 @ 12 1-2. Futures net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Butter—Firm, unchanged.

Cheese and Eggs—Steady, unchanged.

Lard—Easy.

Pork—Easy.

Peanuts and Liverpool freights quiet, unchanged.

Potatoes—Steady; Jersey per barrel 160 @ 210; southern sweets 125 @ 162.

Cabbages—Easy, unchanged.

Cotton seed oil was steady on lighter crude offerings and demand from shorts. Prime crude 29 1-2 @ 30; prime summer yellow 38 3-4 @ 39 1-4; off summer yellow 38 1-4 @ 3-4; good off summer yellow 37 1-4 @ 38 1-2; prime white 40 @ 41 1-2; prime winter yellow 42 @ 47.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 9.—A war scare caused an advance of more than 1c in the price of wheat on the local exchange, but liberal realizing materially reduced the gains, final quotations show advances of 1 to 1 3-8. Corn and provisions closed steady.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
Dec.	1 01 1-2	1 01 7-8	1 01
May	1 04 1-8	1 04 5-8	1 03 7-8
July	98	98 1-2	97 3-4
Corn—			
Dec.	65 1-8	65 1-2	64 3-4
May	64 3-4	65 1-4	64 1-2
July	63 7-8	64 3-8	63 5-8
Oats—			
Dec.	49 3-8	49 1-2	49 1-8
May	51 5-8	51 5-8	51 1-4
July	47 3-8	47 1-2	47 1-4
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
Oct.	14 00	14 00	13 90
Jan.	16 12 1-2	16 17 1-2	16 05
May	15 95	15 97 1-2	15 87 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
Oct.	10 05	10 05	9 95
Jan.	9 65	9 67 1-2	9 55
May	9 75 1-2	9 60	9 50
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
Oct.	9 30	9 30	9 12 1-2
Jan.	8 55	8 57 1-2	8 50
May	8 60	8 62 1-2	8 55

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat 1.05 to 1.07; No. 3 97 to 1.06; No. 2 red 1.00 1-4 to 1.01 3-8; No. 2 corn 78 1-2 to 79 No. 2 yellow 80 to 80 1-2; oats, No. 3 47 to 51; No. 2 rye 75 1-2 to 76; good feeling barley 56 to 1-2; fair to choice malting 57 1-2 to 61; No. 1 northwestern 123 3-4; prime timothy seed 3.50; clover, contract grades 8.80; short ribs, sides (loose) 9.00 to 9.75; mess Pork, per bbl. 14.12 1-2 to 14.25; lard, per 100 lbs 10.00 to 10.02 1-2; short clear sides (boxed) 10.25 to 10.50; whiskey, basis of high wines 1.37.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet 38 3-4c.

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 9.—Turpentine quiet 34c. Rosin quiet. Quote: A. B. C. 2.40; D, 2.45; E, 2.50.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 9.—Turpentine firm 35c bid; sales 97; receipts 909; shipments 688.

Rosin firm; sales 2,600; receipts 3,786; shipments 1,413; stocks 134,691. Quote: A. B. C. 2.50; D, 2.55; E, 2.55 to 2.57 1-2; F, 2.60 to 2.67 1-2; G, 2.65 to 2.75; H, 3.20 to 3.25; I, 3.50; K, 4.85; N, 5.50; WG, 6.90; WW, 6.00.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C Oct. 9, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—91 bales cotton, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—319 bales cotton, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,264 bales cotton, 31 barrels tar, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—11 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels tar.

W. N. Railroad—115 bales cotton 13 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—2 casks spirits turpentine, 20 barrels rosin, 25 barrels tar.

Str. Lyon—75 bales cotton, 31 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Missouri—5 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin.

Total—1,880 bales cotton, 13 casks spirits turpentine, 58 barrels rosin, 98 barrels tar, 69 barrels crude tupentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

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Str. Dongola (Br.) Robinson, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Candleshoe (Br.) Patterson, Boston, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Adelheid Menzell, (Ger.) Menzel, Hamburg via Norfolk, Heide & Co.

Delmira (Br.), 2,211 tons, Connell, Heide & Co.

Barquentine.

Mats (Rns.), 283 tons, Uttopart, Heide & Co. (In distress.)

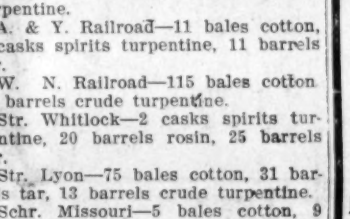
Schooners.

Horace P. Shares, 392 tons, Flynn C. D. Maffitt.

Chas. K. Schull, 821 tons Peckworth, C. D. Maffitt.

Richard Linthicum, 191 tons, Brannock, Georgetown to Baltimore, C. D. Maffitt.

Thomas F. Pollard, 617 tons, Jarman, (for Harbor), C. D. Maffitt.



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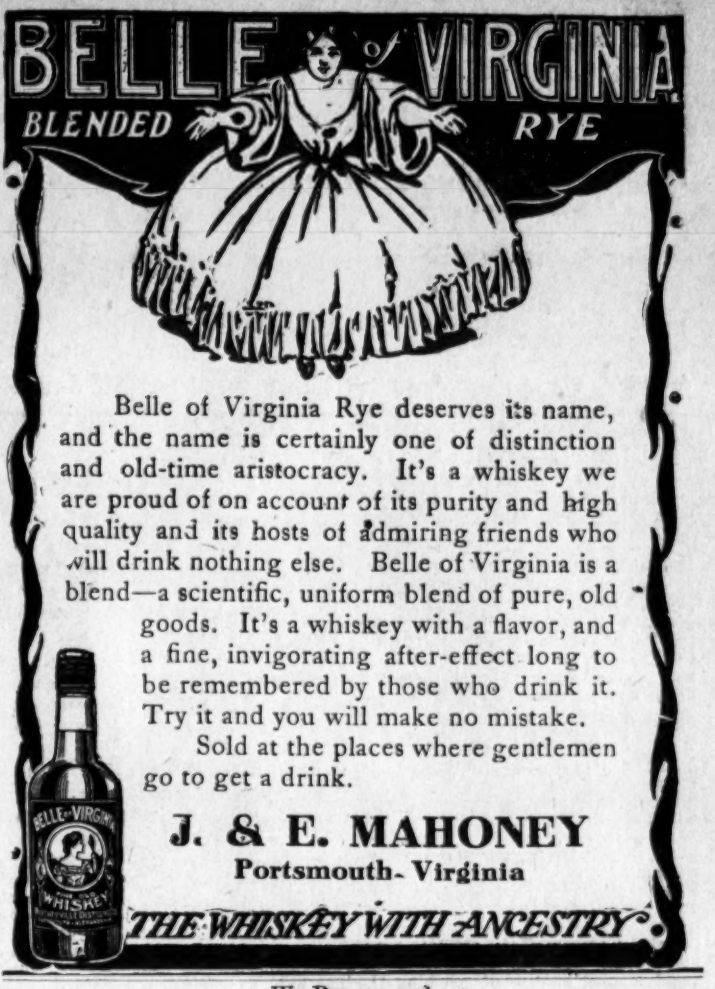

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At the close of business September 23rd, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$2,667,321.91
N. C. State and other Bonds		187,624.87
U. S. Bonds (at par)		550,000.00
Bank Buildings		55,000.00
Cash		1,079,663.42
		$ 4,539,610.20

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 550,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	305,424.85
Circulation	550,000.00
U. S. Bond Account	100.000.00
Deposits	3,034,185.35
	$ 4,539,610.20

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NOTICE.

J. D. Doscher
vs.
Annie E. Doscher.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County for Divorce from Bed and Board, on account of abandonment, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the Term of the Superior Court of New Hanover County to be held on the 13th Monday after the 1st Monday in September 1908, the same being the 7th day of December 1908, at the Court House of said County, and answere or demur to Complaint in said action, or the Plaintiff will apply for the relief demanded in said Complaint. This the 25th day of September 1908.

JOHN D, TAYLOR,
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THE RETIREMENT OF COL. STEWART

Practially Decided Upon by The Army Retiring Board.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS

Col. Makes a Statement to the Board Showing the Great Amount of Exercise He Has Been Used to Taking—Retirement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Oct. 9.—The army retiring board which has been investigating the condition of the health of Colonel William F. Stewart, the so-called Fort Grant "Exile" concluded its work today, and while the result was not officially made public it is quite well understood that the board found Colonel Stewart to be so seriously afflicted with valvular disease of the heart as to incapacitate him for active service in the army. The finding, which has been agreed upon will be reported to the Secretary of War tomorrow, and it is considered probable that Colonel Stewart's retirement by the President will follow. If not retired, Colonel Stewart would still have more than four years of active service, and as he is one of the oldest officers of the artillery corps his friends contend that he would stand a good chance of reaching the grade of Brigadier General. If retired he will receive three fourths of his regular pay, or about $400 per month.

Before the board took the subject up in executive session today, it heard a somewhat detailed statement by Colonel Stewart relative to his record in the army and also listened to brief arguments by Colonel Stewart's counsel, and Recorder Howland, who spoke for the service. Colonel Stewart was not permitted to go outside his medical record, and when his attorney made an effort to elicit from him the circumstances under which he had been transferred from Fort Barantacas, Florida, to Fort Grant, Arizona, Captain Howland interposed postive objection in which he was sustained.

Colonel Stewart said that he had been in the habit of taking horseback rides of from 20 to 35 miles a day for many years past until his removal to Fort Grant a year ago. He found at Fort Grant only one horse, and as that animal was a cripple he was deprived of this opportunity for exercise. While at Fort Grant, however, he had substituted walking for riding and had generally thus covered from eight to fourteen miles a day. He had never felt any ill effects from either walking or riding, and up to a month ago he received no warning from any physician against these forms of exercise, notwithstanding he had for 35 years been under the observation of army surgeons. He said that he had known ever since 1874 that his heart was affected, but that he had paid no attention to the fact.

Colonel Stewart stated that he had been in the service for almost 40 years, and he added that there were only four officers having a longer record.

"Do you wish to be retired? asked Mr. Latimer.

"No," responded Colonel Stewart with emphasis.

"Why do you wish to continue in the service?" asked the lawyer.

"Because I have spent my life in the army and I am fond of the service," replied Colonel Stewart. "I was born at a military post, grew up on the frontier, and when I became a man, I entered the army. I see no reason why I should not be permitted to remain an officer until the arrival of the time for my retirement as fixed by law."

Mr. Latimer for Colonel Stewart entered into a general retrospect of his client's services, which he said had been the subject of much favorable comment, the only criticism being by General Grant, who said that Colonel Steward was an able and efficient officer but that his "efficiency was marred by his irascibility."

WOMAN FOULLY MURDERED

Shot to Death on Eve of Wedding. Prospective Groom Arrested.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Wadsworth, O., Oct. 9.—The police authorities tonight are endeavoring to unravel the mystery of the murder of Ora Lee, twenty-one years old, a handsome factory girl, whose body, pierced by two bullets, was found early today on the road between Wadsworth and the Hamlet of Castard Hook.

Guy Rasor, the man whom Miss Lee was to have married tomorrow, is detained by the Sheriff, pending developments. Rasor denies all knowledge of the tragedy and in support of some exhibits a marriage license procured at Wooster, yesterday.

The body of the young woman was found by Charles Rasor, a cousin of Guy Rasor, as he passed along the road in the early hours of the day.

Another police theory is that a rival for the affections of Miss Lee may have shot the girl on learning of her approaching marriage to Rasor.

Miss Lee left Wedsworth last night, ostensibly to prepare for her wedding. When the body was found the hands were folded over the breast and the legs straightened out as if the corpse had been carefully arranged after death.

She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith of West Franklin Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at R. R. Bellamy's drug store, 25c.

AGAINST PANAMA CANAL OFFICIALS

Charged With Favoritism and Discrimination in Awarding Cableway Contracts.

COL. GOELTHALS EXAMINED

Hearing Before Inspector Garlington Brought About Sensational Incidents—Charges Are Absolutely Denied—Witnesses.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 9.—Colonel George Goelthals, general director of the Panama canal work, was placed on the witness stand today in an inquiry that is being conducted before Inspector General Garlington as to the result of charges of discrimination and favoritism in awarding cableway contracts for the canal by Government officials.

Colonel Goelthals took the stand toward the end of a session replete with sensational incidents. William A. Brothers, who brought the charges had publicly accused Spencer Miller, a representative of the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company, of a perjury, and had followed this accusation by the charge that the inquiry was not being conducted on fair lines, saying the witnesses for the defense were the only ones given a hearing.

In a voice that betrayed his deep feeling over the charges, Colonel Goelthals entered into a defense of the manner in which the cableway contracts had been awarded.

"I have been charged with false statements by Mr. Brothers. I am practically charged with corrupt practices by Senator Slater, Mr. Wood and Mr. Brothers. I intend to answer these charges fully, but the matter will not be taken up in the manner it should be taken up until tomorrow when Colonel Seiberts who is perfectly familiar with the situation arrives."

Colonel Goelthals talked at great length and answered questions put to him by Senator Slater and others. He repeatedly said that the inquiry was so quickly called that he had not been prepared to combat the charges made, saying on this point:

"I knew nothing about this inquiry until I came up from the Isthmus to take a rest. When I arrived in New Orleans, I was hit in the face with the charges. I have had to get my information from Washington as to the details, but I will be able to prove the absolute lack of foundation for any claim that there has been favoritism shown in the bidding for the cableway system on the Isthmus."

Colonel Goelthals said that it had been intimated that there might be a controversy over the awarding of the contract if it was not given to the Lidgerwood company. "I saw that trouble was in the air," he said, "so turned the matter of the bids over to Major Seiberts, H. H. Rousseau, and such other persons as they might call in."

The charges that the specifications advertised in the second bid had limited the bidding to two companies was then taken up by Colonel Goethals and he named nine other companies which he said were competent to be bidders.

"If any one can show me that I have discriminated in favor of the Lidgerwood company I want to be shown," continued Colonel Goelthals. "A matter I want placed on record is the visit to my office of Mr. Wood of the New York Cableway and Engineering Company. Mr. Wood asked if it would be of any use for his firm to bod on other works. He said he had been told on the isthmus that his firm could never do any work down there. I told him that his informant was "a damned liar" and that in case his informant came to my office I would tell him the same thing."

After stating in behalf of the New York Cable and Engineering company that there never had been any question raised against the integrity of either Colonel Goelthals or Major Siebert, Senator Slater asked Colonel Goelthals if, after the first bids had been opened, had he expressed a preference for the Lightwood Company. Colonel Goelthals replied that the letter was in evidence and showed that he had not.

TWO BROTHERS DISAPPEAR.

The Corpse of One Found—Other Still Missing.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Warrenton, Va., Oct. 9.—Ernest Robinson, 24 years old, who with his brother Walter disappeared from their home here six weeks ago, was found dead today in a thicket near the railroad at Canova, a small station between Warrenton and Calverton. Where is no clue to the whereabouts of the other brother, who is two years older. The fact that Walter Robinson several times previous to his disappearance had spent several weeks at a time away from home without notifying his people of his whereabouts furnishes a ray of hope to his family that he may be alive, though prepared to hear at any time of his death.

Ernest Robinson's body evidently had been lying in the woods for a fortnight and it is suggested, though there is no information to corrobate the theory, that he may have been a victim of heart failure or of poisoning in view of the absence of any marks of violence upon the body. Both the young men were well known and owned the general store here. Many of their relations and friends both in this vicinity and near Washington, D. C., had joined in the search for the brothers and the authorities of villages between Warrenton and Washington have been on the lookout.

NATIONS IN EAST READY FOR WAR

Servia in State of Tumult; People Demand Resignation of Cabinet.

A CONEFRENCE IN LONDON

Between British and Russian Ministers to Bring About Order in the Balkans — Warnings From Great Britain.

In spite of warnings to King Peter from Great Britain and France that the people of Servia be kept in check, the populance of Belgrade held demonstrations yesterday and demanded the resignation of the cabinet and also the abdication of King Peter unless he declared war against Austria-Hungary which has refused to accept Servia's protest against the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Ten thousand Austro-Hungarian troops are garrisoned along the Drina river, between Bosnia and Servia, ready eventualities; and it is said 150,000 men can be thrown into Servian territory in 24 hours.

M. Iswolsky, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, arrived in London last night and will have a conference today with Sir Edward Grey, British Secretary of State for foreign affairs, concerning the calling together of the powers signatory to the treaty of Berlin in an endeavor to bring about order in the Balkans.

Prince Ferdinand, the "Czar of Bulgaria" entered Philippopolis yesterday evening and received an enthusiastic greetings at the hands of the troops and the populance.

No confirmation has yet been received of the report that Albanians have declared their independence of the Sultan of Turkey.

Yesterday at Candia the largest city in Crete, the militia followed the example of their compatriots at Canea, the Capital of the island, and took the oath of Ottoman sovereign rights and no derogation to any of these acts can be effected without the unanimous consent of Turkey, the sovereign of these countries, and the other high contracting powers. The Ottoman Government must therefore of necessity reserve all rights which result in its favour from the international treaties and must protest against the molestations of these acts by the imperial and royal Goernment.

London, Oct. 9.—The centre of diplomatic interest in the Balkan situation has been transferred from Paris to London by the arrival here tonight of M. Iswolsky, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, who purposes a conference with Sir Edward Grey, the British minister of foreign affairs, concerning the situation and participularly with regard to a concert of the powers to settle the outstanding difficulties.

The Russian minister was met at the station by Count Benckendorff, the Russian ambassador, and a representative of the British foreign office, with the latter of whom arrangements were completed for a meeting tomorrow between M. Iswolsky and Sir Edward Grey.

Great Britain still is of the opinion that it would be better for Turkey if the matter were settled without a meeting of the powers.

Philippipilis, Bulgaria, Oct. 9.—"The Czar of Bulgaria," or Prince Ferdinand, as he is still known officially, to the rest of the world, entered Philippipolis the capital of Eastern Rumelia, at 5 o'clock this evening. He was greeted by salvos of artillery and the enthusiastic shouts of the populace. He was welcomed at the railroad station, gaily decorated in his honor, by the civil and military authorities and his dignitaries of the church, who accompanied him on a triumphal tour of the city.

WATERWAYS CONVENTION ENDS

Resolutions Advocating Need of Proposed Channel—New Orleans.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Adoption of resolutions declaring the opening of a deep channel way connecting the Great Lakes with the Gulf of Mexico, to be an imperative duty of the general Government and this work should be immediately begun and completed as soon as possible, selection of New Orleans for the next convention, and the re-election of old officers were the features of the closing session today of the Gulf Deep Waterways Association.

Two interesting addresses held the attention of the delegates. They were by Theodore P. Shonts, of New York, and John A. Ockerson of St. Louis. Mr. Shonts attacked violently system of railroads by commissions. "This system," Mr. Shonts declared, "is wholly un-American and in violation of the principles of the free government."

Mr. Shonts described the workings of the New York public service commissions. State regulation under a statute, he said, "is in effect State prohibition of new enterprise and State operation of existing railroads. What is the result. Transportation development in New York is not paralyzed, it is dead."

James H. W. Phillips, a candidate in the recent primary for Democratic delegate to the National convention is under arrest at Pensacola, Fla. He was recently brought to Pensacola from Asheville, N. C., to answer to the charge of embezzlement. He gave bond but has been arrested again, this time upon three affidavits, charging embezzlement of various funds from a Fort Wayne, Indiana, firm. Phillips protests that he is innocent.

CAVE-IN CAUSED HEAVY LOSS.

Four Lines of Railroads With Cars Slide Into Mississippi.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Oct. 9.—Seventy-five thousand dollars worth of railroad property slide into the Mississippi river today when a section of earth 300 feet long and about 200 feet wide caved in between Washington avenue and Fourth street, carrying along seven freight cars and four lines of railroad tracks. Undermining the bank by high water was the cause the cars and two of the tracks belonging to the Illinois Central railroad and the other two tracks belonged to the public Belt railroad. No lives were lost. The losses are divided between the Illinois Central railroad and the city, which owns the Belt railway and most of the real estate which sank into the river. The real estate loss is total inasmuch as no filling in will be done, the caved ground being given over to the river. Several docks were among the property loss.

MOBILIZATION OF BRITISH FLEET

Warships Being Assembled in the Aegean Sea.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Valeta, Island of Malta, Oct. 9.—The battleship Prince of Wales, flagship of Prince Louis of Battenberg, the battleship Glory, the cruisers Diana and Suffolk and the torpedo boat destroyers Angler and Banshee sailed today for the Aegean sea. The squadron will be followed later by the battleship Canopus and the cruiser Minerva.

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